

204 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-22959-2024

Date of Decision : August 28, 2024

Hardial Singh and othersPetitioners
Vs.
State of Punjab ...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Rahul Arora, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr Prabhdeep Singh Dhaliwal, AAG, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (Oral)

On 14.05.2024, the following order was passed :-

“The prayer in the present petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for quashing of the order dated 06.01.2024 (Annexure P-6) passed by the JMIC, Zira in cross-case vide DDR No.28 dated 16.06.2015 (Annexure P-2) registered under Sections 307, 341, 336, 427, 148, 149 IPC and Sections 25/27/54/59 of Arms Act at Police Station Makhu, District Ferozepur in main FIR No.90 dated 16.06.2015 (Annexure P-1) registered under Sections 307, 336, 148, 149 IPC and Sections 25/27/54/59 of Arms Act at Police Station Makhu, District Ferozepur and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom.

The learned counsel for the petitioners contends that it was a case of version and cross-version. A petition for quashing on the basis of compromise was filed in which

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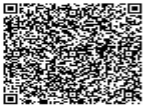
case this Court had directed recording of statements before the Magistrate. The said statements were recorded on 07.11.2019 and the matter remained pending on account of the Covid-19 Pandemic. Subsequent thereto the petitioners were declared proclaimed offenders on 06.01.2024. On 10.01.2024, the petition for quashing of the FIR on the basis of the compromise was withdrawn on account of the fact that the FIR had been registered under Section 307 IPC. He contends that the absence of the petitioners was completely bona fide as they had compromised the matter with the opposite party in furtherance of which their statements had been recorded before the Illaqa Magistrate on 07.11.2019.

Notice of motion for 28.08.2024.

In the meantime, the operation of the order dated 06.01.2024 (Annexure P-6) shall remain stayed.

However, the petitioners are at liberty to approach the appropriate Court for the grant of bail in accordance with law.”

The learned counsel for the petitioners contends that petitioners No.1 to 3 have been granted the concession of anticipatory bail vide order dated 15.04.2024. The petitioners No.2 and 5 have been granted the concession of anticipatory bail vide order dated 11.08.2016 and came to be declared proclaimed offenders later on 06.01.2024. Similarly, petitioners No.6 and 7 have been granted the concession of anticipatory bail vide order dated 28.08.2024.



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In view of the fact that all the petitioners have been granted the concession of anticipatory bail and have appeared before the concerned Court, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court.

Disposed of.

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(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : YES / NO

Whether reportable : YES / NO