



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-26609-2024

DECIDED ON: 24.05.2024

MANINDER SINGH @ MANI

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Avtar S. Khinda, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

The jurisdiction of this Court has been invoked under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.23, dated 06.03.2024 (Annexure P-1), under Sections 323, 324, 458, 506, 34 of IPC, 1860 (Section 325 IPC has been added later on), registered at Police Station Sadar Kapurthala, District Kapurthala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the parties have entered into a compromise and an affidavit to that effect dated 27.04.2024 have been placed on record as Annexures P-2 and P-3 respectively. He further contends that the co-accused of the petitioner, namely Sarabjit Singh @ Sabhi has been granted the concession of anticipatory bail by this Court vide order dated 21.05.2024, passed in CRM-M-18535-2024.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Rajiv Verma, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and on instructions from ASI Harjinderpal Singh could not controvert the aforesaid fact.

Mr. Navjot Kaur, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No.2 and has filed Power of Attorney, which is taken on record. She also could not controvert the said fact.

Be that as it may, without going further into the merits of the case and in view of the fact that the parties have already settled their dispute amicably, the petitioner is directed to be released on anticipatory bail subject to his joining investigation with the Investigating Officer concerned within a period of one week from today, on furnishing of personal/surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner shall also abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) of Cr.P.C.

However, it is made clear that in case the petitioner does not comply with the aforesaid direction of joining the investigation within one week, the order passed by this Court today shall automatically stands cancelled.

The petition in the aforesaid terms stands disposed off.

24.05.2024
Poonam Negi

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>