



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M No.34137 of 2024
Date of decision: 03.09.2024

GURSEWAK SINGH AND ANOTHER

.... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr.Rajandeep Kaur, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. D.A.G., Punjab.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (oral)

1. Through the instant petition, filed under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the petitioners seek anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 165, dated 13.11.2023, registered under Sections 452, 427, 323, 148 and 149 of IPC at Police Station Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran.
2. Vide order dated 19.07.2024, passed by this Court, the petitioners were released on interim bail and were directed to join investigation. Order dated 19.07.2024, passed by this Court, reads as under:

“The present petition has been filed by the petitioners for grant of anticipatory bail in case arising out of FIR No.165 dated 13.11.2023 registered under Sections 452, 427, 323, 148 and 149 of IPC, at Police Station Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran.

Notice of motion.

Learned State counsel who has appeared on advance notice of the petition, seeks time to file status report in the matter.



Adjourned to 03.09.2024.

In the event of their arrest, the Investigating/Arresting Officer shall release the petitioners on interim bail on furnishing personal/surety bonds to his/her satisfaction. The petitioners shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from the Investigating Officer, has submitted that that the petitioners have joined investigation on 28.07.2024 and they are not required for custodial interrogation.

4. Keeping in view the above mentioned facts and circumstances, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 19.07.2024, granting interim bail to the petitioners, is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

03.09.2024
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(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No.
Whether reportable :	Yes/No