



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-37330-2024

Date of decision: 28.11.2024

Sanjeev Arora @ Garry Arora

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Advocate, for
Mr. A. S. Brar, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Navdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of anticipatory bail under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 in case FIR No.72 dated 07.07.2024 under Sections 115(2), 127(4), 140(3), 351(3) 318(4) AND 61(2) of the BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Badhni Kalan, District Moga.
2. On the last date of hearing, while noticing the following submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioner and asked him to join investigation:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner, inter alia, contends that the complainant was admittedly a drug addict; the petitioner had only recommended his admission in the de-addiction centre, wherein as per allegations, he was detained on account of non-payment of fees. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner was neither running the said de-addiction centre nor was he in any manner related to the persons running the de-addiction centre. ”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of order dated 22.08.2024, the petitioner has joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He, on further instructions, submits that the petitioner is not required for further investigation much less for his custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and interim order dated 22.08.2024, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

28.11.2024.
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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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