

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

204 CRM-M-40038-2023(O&M)
Date of Decision: 22.04.2024

SURINDER SINGHPetitioner
VERSUS
STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHERRespondents

CORAM : HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr. Kamal Narula, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Manpreet Singh Dua, Advocate for respondent no.2.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C.

seeking anticipatory bail in FIR mentioned below:-

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
23	09.05.2023	P.S. Amir Khas, District Fazilka	406, 498-A of IPC

2. Vide order dated 17.08.2023 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.
3. As per report received from Mediation and Conciliation Centre, the parties have settled their dispute. A written settlement/agreement has also been executed which has been annexed with this report. Travelling expenses have also been paid by the petitioner. The petitioner has also rejoined the investigation on 03.04.2024 as submitted by learned State counsel and also states that he is not required for custodial interrogation. No useful purpose will be served by detaining him in custody. In view of the said facts but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 17.08.2023 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

22.04.2024
Deepak Patwal

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No
2. Whether reportable Yes/No