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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.223

CRM-M-45471-2024 (O&M)  
Date of decision : 23.09.2024

Joy @ Rishu @ Joye ..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab ..... Respondent

**CORAM: HON’BLE MS. JUSTICE KIRTI SINGH**

Present: Mr. Abhaysher Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Vinay Kumar, DAG, Punjab.

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**KIRTI SINGH, J. (Oral)**

1. By way of the present petition under Section 483 read with section 528 BNSS, 2023 prayer is for grant of interim regular bail to the petitioner for a period of six weeks, in view of the fact that wife of the petitioner is at advanced stage of pregnancy, in case FIR No.57 dated 14.04.2024, under Sections 21/23/29 of NDPS Act, 1985 and Section 25 of the Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station Sadar Ferozepur, District Ferozepur, Punjab.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the wife of the petitioner is pregnant and is at advanced stage of pregnancy. He has referred to the medial record (Annexure P3). He further submits that due to the absence of the family members and in view of the fact that the wife of the petitioner is at advance stages of her pregnancy, she is not able to take care of herself on her own and therefore, the presence of the petitioner is necessary in order to provide proper medication, care and attention to his

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wife and to prevent any harm to the health of his wife and unborn child due to lack of proper care and attention.

3. In compliance of order dated 12.09.2024, short reply dated 21.09.2024 has been filed by the learned State counsel in Court today. The same is taken on record.

4. Heard.

5. A perusal of the above-stated reply reveals that during verification it has been found that the wife of the petitioner, namely, Manpreet Kaur is pregnant and is at advanced state of pregnancy.

6. In view of the contentions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and short reply submitted by the learned State counsel, this Court is of the view that the petitioner is entitled to the concession of interim regular bail.

7. Accordingly, the petition is disposed of and the petitioner is granted interim regular bail for a period of 03 weeks starting from 25.09.2024 on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned, subject to such terms and conditions as may be imposed by the learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(KIRTI SINGH)  
JUDGE

23.09.2024  
Ramandeep Singh

Whether speaking / reasoned  
Whether Reportable

Yes/No  
Yes/No