

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.49226 of 2023
Date of decision: 31st January, 2024

Ravinder Singh @ Varinder Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Yajur Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. APS Tung, Dy. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.

Mr. Vishnu Dutt, Advocate for the complainant.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.57 dated 26.03.2023 under Sections 307, 452, 506, 148, 149 of the IPC and Sections 25, 27 of the Arms Act, 1959 registered at Police Station Ajnala, District Amritsar Rural.

2. Learned State counsel, at the outset, has opposed the prayer and submissions made by the counsel opposite for extending the extraordinary concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. On instructions, he has brought to the notice of this Court that the petitioner is a man of criminal antecedents as he is involved in two other criminal cases under Section 307 of the IPC, which fact has been withheld from

this Court. Learned State counsel submits that on this ground alone, the instant petition deserves to be dismissed.

3. In view of the instructions received by the learned State counsel, which reflect that the petitioner is a habitual offender and is a man of criminal antecedents, this Court is not inclined to grant the extraordinary concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. The petition stands dismissed.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

January 31, 2024

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