

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-50347-2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 19.04.2024

NIRMAL CHAWLAPetitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJABRespondent

CORAM : HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr. A.P.S Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Bipin Ghai, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Gurjas Gill, Advocate for the complainant.

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
178	12.09.2023	P.S. Gate Hakima, District Amritsar	304-B, 120-B of IPC

2. Vide order dated 28.02.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.
3. Learned State counsel states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation. No useful purpose will be served by detaining him in custody.
4. In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 28.02.2024 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.

19.04.2024
Deepak Patwal

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

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