

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

101 CRM-M-50651-2023 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 19.04.2024

PUNEET ARORA AND ANOTHERPetitioners

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJABRespondent

CORAM : HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Mr. S.K. Garg Narwana, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Nitin Sachdeva, Advocate for the petitioners.

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 petitioners
were released on interim bail and were directed to join investigation.

3. Learned State counsel has filed status report dated 19.04.2024 and
states that the petitioners have joined the investigation and they are not required
for custodial interrogation. No useful purpose will be served by detaining them 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

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