

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M No.58657 of 2023
Date of decision: 09.01.2024

MANPREET SINGH

.... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

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

Mr. R.S. Khaira, D.A.G., Punjab.

None for respondent No.2.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (oral)

1. 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
69	07.06.2023	Jhabal, District Tarn Taran	498-A, 406 and 120-B of IPC

2. As per office report respondent No.2 has been duly served but none appeared on his behalf.

3. Vide order dated 21.11.2023 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.

4. Learned State counsel filed status report dated 09.01.2024. The same is taken on record. He further, on instructions states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 21.11.2023 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.

09.01.2024

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(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No.
Whether reportable :	Yes/No