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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

(212)

CRM-M-65508-2023

Date of Decision:- 26.02.2024

Sukhwinder Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

Present: Mr. L.M. Gulati, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Bhatta, DAG, Punjab.

ALOK JAIN, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.0254 dated 15.10.2020 under Sections 307, 427, 447, 506, 148, 149 of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 25, 27, 54 and 59 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Majitha, District Amritsar (Annexure P-1).
2. Vide order dated 16.01.2024, this Court while granting the concession of interim anticipatory bail directed the petitioner to join investigation.
3. Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Sarbjit Masih submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no longer required.

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4. In light of the above, the present petition is allowed. The order dated 16.01.2024 granting interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner, is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency, and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.
5. However, nothing stated above shall be construed as a final expression of opinion on the merits of the case.
6. It is made clear that, in case, the petitioner is found involved in any such activity once again, after the grant of this concession, the State is at liberty to promptly move an appropriate application for cancellation of this concession.
7. It is further made clear that this order shall not be construed as parity qua any other co-accused.

February 26, 2024
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(ALOK JAIN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:-	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:-	Yes/No