



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

CRM-M-36398-2024 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 25.02.2025

Puneet Malik

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Monty Goyal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition is for extension of interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 16.07.2024 in CRM-M-29592-2024 for getting his medical treatment done.

Since 16.07.2024, the petitioner is on interim bail on account of his medical condition. The Court directed the State to verify his medical condition and in pursuance to the same, status report by way of affidavit of Anil Kumar Bhanot (PPS), Assistant Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana (Central) dated 24.02.2025 has been filed in Court today. The perusal of the status report as well as the medical certificate issued by the Doctor produced would show that the petitioner is in stable condition and now the petitioner can get his further treatment in Jail itself.

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the trial in the case at the evidence stage and the interim bail granted to the petitioner be continued due to his medical condition.

However, it is apparent that the petitioner was granted interim bail on his medical condition and not on merits. Thus, this Court does not find any ground to continue his interim bail and hence, the present petition is disposed of and the petitioner is directed to surrender before the concerned jail authorities on 27.02.2025 at 10:00 a.m.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)

JUDGE

25.02.2025

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned :

Yes/No

Whether Reportable :

Yes/No