



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-12450-2026

MANPREET SINGH

...PETITIONER

V/s

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

Date of decision: 30.04.2026

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CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUMEET GOEL

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Garg, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Baljinder Singh Sra, Addl. AG, Punjab.

Mr. Anurag Arora, Advocate for the complainant.

SUMEET GOEL, J. ORAL

1. On 20.03.2026, the following order was passed:-

“Counsel for the petitioner, inter alia, contends that the order declaring the petitioner as a proclaimed offender has been passed in derogation of the mandatory provisions of law. Notice of motion.

Mr. Adhiraj Singh, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

At this stage; Mr. Anurag Arora, Advocate has caused appearance on behalf of the complainant and filed his power of attorney.

List on 28.04.2026.

Till the next date of hearing, operation of the impugned order dated 30.08.2022 is stayed.”

2. Vide a separate order passed in the petition bearing No. CRM-M-12425-2026, the petitioner has been afforded the concession of anticipatory bail by this Court. Since the petitioner has already caused



appearance before the concerned trial Court and has made an undertaking in the said petition that he shall face trial in accordance with law, this Court does not deem it appropriate to keep the instant petition alive.

3. *Ergo*, the impugned order dated 30.08.2022, is hereby quashed.

(SUMEET GOEL)
JUDGE

30.04.2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No