t%ITEM NO.13+53 COURT NO.8 SECTION IIA

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA
RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Petition(s) for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl) No(s).5930/2007

(From the judgement and order dated 30/07/2007 in CRLM No. 21713-M/2007 of The HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH)

STATE OF PUNJAB Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

AMRINDER SINGH & ANR. Respondent(s)

(With appln(s) for ex-Parte stay and exemption from filing c/c of the impugned Judgment and exemption from filing O.T.)

WITH SLP(Crl) NO. 6120 of 2007
(With Appln.(s) for anticipatory bail and exemption from filing O.T.)
With SLP(Crl.)_____/2007 (Crl.M.P. No. 13663/2007)
Crl.M.P. 13663/2007(Appln. for permission to file SLP and ex-parte stay and office report)

Date: 12/10/2007 These Petitions were called on for hearing today.

CORAM :
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HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MARKANDEY KATJU

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UPON hearing counsel the Court made the following
ORDER

SLP(Crl) 5930/2007 and SLP(Crl.)_____/2007(Crl.MP 13663/2007)

Permission to file SLP is granted in SLP(Crl)_____2/007 (Crl.M.P. 13663/2007).

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner-State of Punjab. We are not inclined to interfere with the orders granting anticipatory bail to the respondents. Hence the special leave petitions are dismissed.

However, we direct that a notice may be sent to the respondent No.1, namely, Amarinder Singh to come back to the country and report to the investigation agency within a period of one month from today and cooperate with the investigation. In case, respondent No. 1 does not cooperate with the investigation agency, it will be open for the State of Punjab to move an application before the High Court for recalling the order of granting anticipatory bail. We hope and trust that respondent No. 1 will cooperate with the investigation agency and will not leave the country without permission of the High Court.

SLP(Crl.) No. 6120/2007

Issue notice.

Mr. Ajay Pal, Advocate accepts notice for the State.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

In the facts and circumstances of the case we direct that in the event the petitioner is likely to be apprehended by the

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police, he shall be enlarged on bail upon his furnishing personal bond in the sum of Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only) with two sureties in the like amount to the satisfaction of the arresting officer or the Trial Court, as the case may be. In case, he fails to cooperate the investigation agency, it will be open for the State of Punjab to make an application before this Court for recalling this order. With these observations, the special leave petition stands disposed of.

(Ajay Kr. Jain)
Court Master

(Vijay Dhawan)
Court Master