

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

CRM M- 17694 of 2015
Date of Decision: May 28, 2015

Dharmender @ Banti

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PARAMJEET SINGH

Present: Mr. Vijay Kumar Sheoran , Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Paramjeet Singh, J. (Oral)

Instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 690, dated 11.09.2014, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B, 272 of the Indian Penal Code and 61/1/14 of the Punjab Excise Act, registered at Police Station Bhiwani Sadar, District Bhiwani.

There are serious allegations against the petitioner that he is involved in preparing illicit liquor by mixing chemical water in the spirit and thereafter selling the same in the market. In this case, three co-accused have already been arrested and have been released on regular bail. Perusal of the orders annexed with this petition with regard to co-accused, who have been released on bail, reveals that petitioner along with other co-accused is virtually running a factory for manufacturing the illicit liquor. Such act of the petitioner and others certainly amounts to illegal activities

which is dangerous for human life if they are consumed, besides loss of the revenue to the State.

In view of this, no ground for grant of anticipatory bail is made out.

Dismissed.

May 28, 2015
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[Paramjeet Singh]
Judge