

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

CRM-M No. 3664 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 29.02.2016

Sanjay Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Mr. Dhawaljeet Dutta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State assisted by ASI Bikramjit Singh.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail on behalf of the accused/petitioner-Sanjay Kumar in case FIR No. 153 dated 21.12.2012, for offences punishable under Sections 63/64 of the Right Act, 1957 amendment Acts, 1984 & 1994 and 78/79 of Trade & Merchandise Act, 1958 and Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Sri Hargobindpur, District Gurdaspur.

The petitioner was enlarged on bail and due to his solitary absence on 17.12.2015, his bail bonds were cancelled and notice issued to sureties by the trial Court. Reason stated for non-appearance is wrong noting of the date as 27.12.2015 instead of 17.12.2015.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the order/directions dated 08.02.2016, passed by this Court, the petitioner has surrendered before the trial Court and has been granted interim bail on 16.02.2016. He further submits that the petitioner is ready to face the trial.

Learned State Counsel, assisted by ASI Bikramjit Singh, is unable to refute the aforesaid factual position.

In view of the above, interim bail granted by the trial Court vide its order dated 16.02.2016, pursuant to this Court's order dated 08.02.2016, is confirmed.

Disposed of.

February 29, 2016

**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**