

CRM No. M-37098 of 2016
DECIDED ON: NOVEMBER 29, 2016

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Prashant Vashisth, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Bhavna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

By virtue of instant petition preferred under Section 438 Cr.P.C., petitioner has sought pre-arrest bail in case FIR No. 219, dated 19.09.2016, under Sections 61/1/14 of Punjab Excise Act, registered at Police Station Shimlapuri, Ludhiana.

At the time of issuance of notice of motion on October 19, 2016 the following order was passed by this Court:

“Inter alia, it has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the instant petition stands registered on the basis of a secret information, however, on search of the abandoned place/plot recovery of 82 bottles of liquor make Santra Silver of Chandigarh and 54 bottles of illicit liquor make XXX of Punjab was effected. The petitioner was not arrested at the spot.

Notice of motion for 29.11.2016.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to join the investigation within seven days from the date of certified copy of this order. In the event of arrest, petitioner shall be released on interim bail at the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Ranjit Singh has candidly submits that in compliance afore-said order, petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no more required for further investigation.

In view of above, order dated October 19, 2016 is hereby, made absolute and shall enure during the pendency of trial.

However, petitioner shall abide by all the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Disposed of.

NOVEMBER 29, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned Yes/No

Whether Reportable Yes/No