

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

CRM-M-7381-2017 (O&M)
Date of decision : 23.03.2017

HAPPY

...Petitioner (s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent (s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present : Mr. Mohit Garg, Advocate
for the petitioner (s).

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.58, dated 27.02.2014, registered under Section 61(1)(a) of Punjab Excise Act, at Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur wherein the learned Court below has issued non-bailable warrants against the petitioner.

The learned State counsel informs that the petitioner, aged about 24 years, was held guilty of the offence vide judgment dated 14.02.2017 and he was ordered to be sentenced for RI for 6 months and to pay Rs.1 lakh as fine and in default thereof to further undergo RI for 1 week. After the pronouncement of the order of sentence, the petitioner slipped away from the police custody.

Heard.

Considering the conduct of the petitioner, this Court is not inclined to accept the prayer made in the petition. Accordingly, the same is dismissed. However, keeping in view the young age of the petitioner and the recovery in question, it is ordered that in case the petitioner surrenders before the trial Court, appropriate order be passed expeditiously.

23.03.2017

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes / No

Whether reportable: Yes / No