

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

Criminal Misc.No.M-19474 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision : 27.08.2018

Sukhchain Chand

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present : Mr. Amit Dhawan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has preferred the instant petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.232 dated 07.12.2015, registered under Section 174-A IPC at Police Station New Baradari, Jalandhar.

Earlier the petitioner was summoned as an accused in a criminal complaint under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act. In that case, the petitioner was declared proclaimed offender. As such, the aforesaid FIR under Section 174-A IPC has been registered against him.

Learned State counsel has stated that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no more required for further investigation.

In the circumstances, without going into the merits of the case, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the present case.

Resultantly, the interim order dated 18.05.2018 is made

absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2)
Cr.P.C.

Petition stands allowed.

27.08.2018
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(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
<i>Whether Reportable :</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>