

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-47217-2017(O&M)

Date of Decision: 23.02.2018

Surinder Pal

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

--Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

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

Mr. S.S. Sandhu, A.A.G., Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J (Oral)

This order shall dispose of the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C praying for the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R. No.26 dated 19.5.2017 under section 174-A I.P.C, registered at Police Station, Taragarh, District Pathankot.

On 12.12.2017, while issuing notice of motion, the following order was passed by this Court:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner stats that apart from the fact that the main complaint is under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, the absence of the petitioner before the trial Court on two different counts was not intentional. So far as his absence on 26.09.2017 is concerned, he had noted down a wrong date i.e. 26.10.2017 and for the second time on 12.10.2017, his daughter remained ill for the period between 10.10.2017 to 12.11.2017. For the said period, his daughter was admitted as an indoor patient in the hospital of Dr. Arun Gupta, Physician and Chest Consultant, Jammu.

Notice of motion for 23.02.2018.

Meanwhile, in case the petitioner appears before the trial Court on 15.12.2017 i.e. the date already fixed there,

he shall be admitted on bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.”

Counsel for the petitioner makes a statement at the bar that in pursuance to the order dated 12.12.2017 passed by this Court, petitioner duly appeared before the Trial Court on 15.12.2017 and was admitted to interim bail upon furnishing requisite bail bonds/surety bonds.

The petitioner having joined proceedings before the court below, prayer made in the instant petition is allowed. The order dated 12.12.2017, passed by this Court, is made absolute.

Petition disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

23.02.2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No