

**214-3 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-49086-2018

Date of decision: November 29, 2018

Vipan Kumar Mehra

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present: Mr. A.P.S. Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. C.L. Pawar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner has preferred the instant petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.77 dated 26.03.2013, registered under Sections 419, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code at Police Station Chherretta, District Amritsar City.

It is the allegation against the petitioner that while working with Manappuram Finance Limited, Amritsar, he gave loan against gold jewelry but that jewelry was found artificial or ingenuine.

It has been submitted that the petitioner was never given any training with regard to testifying the artificial or original jewelry and he has no role in this regard.

Learned State counsel has stated that the petitioner has joined the investigation; nothing is to be recovered from him and he is no more required for custodial interrogation.

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. Ordered accordingly.

Resultantly, the interim order dated 02.11.2018, passed by this Court, is made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands allowed.

(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE

November 29, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No