

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-2191-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 5.4.2019

Saheed

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Khalid, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Singh Choudhary, Addl. A.G. Haryana.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. By way of filing this petition, the petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in respect of a case registered vide FIR No.259, dated 13.11.2018, registered at Police Station Bahin, District Palwal, under Section 13(1) and 3 of the Haryana Gauvansh Sanrakshan and Gausamvardhan Act.
2. The allegations, in nutshell, are that a secret information was received by the police to the effect that the petitioner was coming on his motorcycle bearing registration No. HR-52E-3138 and was carrying 'cow skin' with him. Pursuant to receipt of the aforesaid information, the accused was apprehended while riding a motorcycle and was found carrying a bag containing 'cow skin'.
3. Pursuant to issuance of directions dated 18.1.2019, the petitioner is stated to have joined investigation.

4. The learned State counsel has, however, opposed the petition on the ground that the petitioner is involved in one more case.
5. Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case and bearing in mind the nature of allegations and also the fact that the petitioner has already joined investigation, in my opinion, it is a fit case for grant of anticipatory bail. The petition, as such, is accepted and interim directions issued vide order dated 18.1.2019 are made absolute subject to the condition that the petitioner shall appear and join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and cooperate with the Investigating Officer and shall abide by the conditions as provided under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.
6. The present petition stands accepted accordingly.

April 5, 2019

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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No