

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-3291-2019 (O & M)

Date of Decision: September 30, 2019

JASWINDER SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Kunal Dawar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. K.K. Bheniwala, Addl. AG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.232 dated 09.11.2018, under Sections 457 and 380 of the Indian Penal Code ('IPC' - for short), registered at Police Station City Ferozepur, District Ferozepur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the case on the supplementary statement of the complainant. Initially in the FIR, no one had been named as an accused. It is highly improbable that the petitioner, who is a Municipal Councillor at Mullanpur would go to Ferozepur for committing theft of household articles.

A coordinate Bench of this Court, by the order dated 24.01.2019, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered to be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from SI Ajmer Singh, states that although the petitioner has joined investigation but cash and jewellery is to be recovered from the petitioner.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 24.01.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 30, 2019
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No