

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

CRM-M-3739-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 1.5.2019

Sachin Kumar ... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana ... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Inderjit Sharma, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Aditi Girdhar, AAG, 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.1027, dated 28.8.2018, registered at Police Station Jagadhri City, District Yamuna Nagar, under Section 174-A IPC.
2. The petitioner had earlier been facing trial in respect of offence under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, wherein he was declared a 'Proclaimed Offender'. Consequently, the present FIR came to be lodged.
3. Later, however, the petitioner is stated to have surrendered before the trial Court where the trial in respect of complaint under Section 138

of Negotiable Instruments Act, is pending and he has been granted bail.

4. Pursuant to interim directions issued by this Court on 28.1.2019, the petitioner is stated to have joined investigation and is no longer required for the purpose of investigation as has been informed by learned State counsel upon instructions from SI Yunis Ali.
5. In view of the aforestated position and 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 28.1.2019 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.

May 1, 2019
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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned	Yes / No
Whether Reportable	Yes / No