

210 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-4486-2019

Date of decision-05.03.2019

Dinesh Kumar

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Anurag Tagra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. V.G.Jauhar, Senior DAG, Punjab assisted by
ASI Rampal.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J.

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.51 dated 04.05.2018 registered under Sections 420 and 120-B of Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station Kathgarh, District SBS Nagar, Punjab.

On 31.01.2019, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that as per the allegations contained in the FIR, the money was paid to Gagan for arranging the visa to the complainant, who is running a firm namely Wipro Enterprises. It is also pointed out that co-accused namely Sukhjinder Singh (co-employee of petitioner) has already been granted concession of anticipatory bail in CRM-M-44553-2018. Notice of motion for 05.03.2019.

In the meanwhile, petitioner shall join the investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that in pursuance of the order dated 31.01.2019, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Rampal submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation. Further, it is not the disputed fact that the petitioner is employee of Gagan to whom the money was paid.

In view of the above, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 31.01.2019, is made absolute.

The petition stands allowed.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

05.03.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No