

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M No. 6461 of 2019
Date of decision : February 26, 2019

Mangli Singh @ Cheppi @ Mangal Singh
..... Petitioner

v.
State of Punjab
..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. BS Jattana, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG Punjab

Ajay Tewari, J (Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.17, dated 24.01.2019, registered under Section 61 of the Punjab Excise Act, at Police Station City-1, Mansa, District Mansa.

Allegations are that 120 bottles of Shahnai Haryana liquor were recovered from the house of the petitioner. Two other cases under the Punjab Excise Act are also pending.

Learned DAG Punjab, on instructions from HC Hardeep Singh, has accepted these factual assertions.

Keeping in view the entire conspectus of the case, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Resultantly, this petition is allowed and it is directed that in the event of his arrest, the petitioner shall be released on anticipatory bail by the

Investigating Officer to his satisfaction subject to the compliance of the provisions as contained in Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending C.Ms, if any, also stand disposed of.

February 26, 2019
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

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