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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No. 8192 of 2019
Date of Decision: 25.03.2019

Darshan Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr.Shubhashish Kukreti, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr.C.L.Pawar, Sr.DAG, Punjab.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 read with Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (for short 'Cr.P.C') for grant of pre arrest bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 75 dated 22.09.2018, under Sections 406, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station Badali Alla Singh, Fatehgarh Sahib, Punjab and also for issuance of directions to the learned trial Court to release him on bail in the above mentioned case.

While issuing notice of motion, this court passed the following order on 22.02.2019:-

“Contends that petitioner is merely an attesting witness and not the beneficiary.

Notice of motion for 25.03.2019.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of his arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit him to interim bail till the next date of hearing on his furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner is also directed to abide by

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all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from ASI Parjinder Singh has acknowledged that in terms of the previous order the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no longer required in this case.

In view of above, the interim order dated 22.02.2019 is made absolute, subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the present petition stands disposed off.

25.03.2019

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**(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable*

*Yes/No
Yes/No*