

202-2 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-20170-2016  
Date of decision-22.05.2019

S.P.Sethi

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

...Respondent

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ**

Present: Mr. Gautam Dutt, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Sabharwal, Addl.A.G.Haryana.

Mr. D.D.Sharma, Advocate for the complainant.

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**MANOJ BAJAJ, J.**

This petition has been filed by the petitioner under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.472 dated 02.09.2013 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station Central Faridabad, District Faridabad. The petitioner apprehended his arrest at the hands of Police.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has invited the attention of the Court to the order dated 02.06.2016 whereby while issuing notice of motion to the respondent-State, the interim protection was extended to the petitioner. The said order reads as under:-

*“Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner-Kailash Bainsla in case FIR No.472 dated 02.09.2013 for offences punishable under Sections 420, 467, 465, 468, 471 and 120-B IPC registered with Police Station Central, Faridabad. It is contended that co-accused Sanjay Sharma and Sunita Sharma have prayed for similar relief in CRM-M No.36240 of 2015 and 39583 of 2015 and have been extended the benefit of interim*

*protection and the said petitions are now listed for hearing on 27.07.2016. Notice of motion for 27.07.2016. To be heard with CRM-M Nos.36240 & 39583 of 2015. Till next date of hearing, in the event of arrest, petitioner shall be released on interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the arresting/investigating officer. However, he shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”*

Learned counsel for the petitioner further contends that in deference to the said order, the petitioner submitted himself before the Police and joined the investigation. According to him, the petitioner cooperated with the Police Authorities during the investigation and furnished requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer.

Learned State counsel who is assisted by SI Sunil Kumar does not dispute this fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation. Learned counsel on instructions from SI Sunil Kumar further states that the petitioner is not required for custodial interrogation for the time being.

Considering above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 02.06.2016 is made absolute. However, it is made clear that this order shall remain operative till the filing of the final report under Section 173 (2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands allowed.

**(MANOJ BAJAJ)**  
**JUDGE**

**22.05.2019**

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Whether speaking/reasoned :  
Whether Reportable :

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