

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

**CRM-M-18380-2019
Date of decision: 27.05.2019**

Sucha Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. V. K. Sharma, Advocate for
Mr. A. K. Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. M. S. Nagra, AAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.364 dated 26.10.2017 under Sections 406, 420 IPC, registered at Police Station Nakodar Sadar, Jalandar (Rural).

The operative part of the order dated 03.05.2019, vide which the petitioner has been granted interim bail, is reproduced below:

“Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that a bare perusal of the FIR shows that the entire allegations are against son of the petitioner namely Balvir Singh. It is further submitted that while giving the details of handing over the amount to Balvir Singh, on different dates, starting from 04.10.2014 onwards, the complainant has given the dates, on which the amount was given to Balvir Singh and there is no mention that at any point of time, any amount was handed over to the petitioner. Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner is an old man aged about 67 years and is not running the business of travel agency. Learned

State counsel submits that the petitioner be directed to join the investigation.

List again on 27.05.2019.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, in pursuance to the order dated 03.05.2019, has already appeared before the SHO/Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Satpal Singh, has not disputed the factual position and submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no more required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 03.05.2019, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

27.05.2019

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No