

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

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**C.R.M-M No.20904 of 2019
Date of Decision : 22.05.2019**

Jaswinder Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Kashmir Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (ORAL)

This petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.4 dated 27.03.2019 registered under Sections 7, 7-A of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and Section 120-B IPC at Police Station Vigilance Bureau, District Jalandhar, Punjab.

Counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner is a private person and has no role to play.

Learned Deputy Advocate General states that there are certain documents where the petitioner has signed as a complainant and it would be necessary to match his signatures because if those signatures match then the plea of the petitioner that he is third person would be falsified.

Counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner would have

no objection in appearing before the IO and giving his sample signatures and other admitted signatures.

Resultantly, the petition is allowed. In the event of arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on bail by the Investigating Officer subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petitioner is directed to appear before the investigating officer on 29.05.2019 and give his specimen signatures and other standard signatures and also appear on any other date as and when his presence is required. In case the petitioner does not appear before the investigating officer in the aforesaid manner the present petition would be deemed to have been dismissed.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending Criminal Misc. Application, if any, also stands disposed of.

May 22, 2019
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No