

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

**CRM-M No.53685 of 2018
Decided on: 16.01.2019**

Sandeep Kumar

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. Lalit Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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

Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, Advocate
for the complainant.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.239 dated 05.10.2018, registered under Sections 420/120-B IPC and 13 of the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Act, 2012 at Police Station Civil Lines, Bathinda, District Bathinda.

The operative part of the order dated 05.12.2018, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“...Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was granted interim anticipatory bail by the Addl. Sessions Judge, however, later on, the same was dismissed with the observation that the petitioner has failed to get the amount recovered. It is further submitted that the petitioner is ready to join the investigation and deposit an amount of Rs.50,000/- with the Illaqa

Magistrate.

Notice of motion for 16.01.2019....”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 05.12.2018, the petitioner has joined the investigation and has deposited the amount of Rs.50,000/- with the Illaqa Magistrate and has also placed on record the photocopy of the order passed by the Illaqa Magistrate and the receipt, which are taken on record as Mark X.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Sukhwinder Singh, has not disputed the aforesaid fact and submits that the petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, this petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 05.12.2018 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

16.01.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No