

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

CRM-M-25482-2019

Date of decision : 30.05.2019

Amritpal Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Anurag Chopra, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J (ORAL)

The instant petition has been preferred under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.45 dated 06.07.2013, registered under Sections 325, 326, 452, 324, 341, 506, 427 and 148 read with Section 149 of the Indian Penal Code at Police Station Sarai Amanat Khan, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner had been admitted to bail vide order dated 24.09.2016. The petitioner had been appearing before the trial Court throughout. However, on 29.04.2019, the petitioner being unwell could not appear before the trial Court. An application for exemption from personal appearance was moved by the counsel, but the same was not considered. The absence of the petitioner before the learned trial Court was not wilful and deliberate.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Copy of the paper book has been supplied to the learned State counsel in the Court today.

Heard.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction that in case the petitioner surrenders within a week, he shall be admitted to bail during the pendency of the trial, on furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds, to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned. The petitioner shall continue to appear before the learned trial Court on each and every date of hearing.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

30.05.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No