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

CRM-M-29736 of 2019

Date of decision: October 03, 2019

Jagmeet Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Multani, AAG Punjab.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for short 'Cr. P.C.') for grant of anticipatory bail to petitioner, in FIR No.134 dated 03.06.2013, under Sections 406, 420 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Section 24 of the Immigration Act, 1983, registered at Police Station Division No.7, Jalandhar.

On 16.07.2019, while issuing notice of motion, this Court has passed the following order:-

“Notice of motion for 17.09.2019.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to join the proceedings before learned trial Court and he be released on interim bail in the present case till the next date of hearing to the satisfaction of learned trial Court.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that in terms of interim order dated 16.07.2019 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined proceedings before learned trial Court and has also furnished

necessary bail/surety bonds. He has also submitted that now the petitioner is appearing regularly before learned trial Court.

The above factual position is duly acknowledged by learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Hira Singh.

In view of the above, order dated 16.07.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to the provisions of Section 438(2) Cr. P.C.

Petition stands disposed off, accordingly.

However, it is made clear that the petitioner shall fully co-operate with the learned trial Court for conducting smooth trial without seeking any unnecessary adjournments.

The above observations may not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

October 03, 2019

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No