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

CRM-M-40304 of 2019

Date of decision: November 21, 2019

Jaswinder Singh @ Kala

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. P.K.S. Phoolka, 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.110 dated 07.08.2019, under Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda.

On 04.10.2019, this Court has passed the following order:-

“On the request of learned State counsel, adjourned to 21.11.2019, for further consideration.

To be heard along with CRM-M-39442 of 2019.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of his arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit him to interim bail till the next date of hearing on his furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner is also directed to abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Gamdoor Singh has stated that, in terms of order dated 04.10.2019, the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required.

In view of the above, order dated 04.10.2019 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 Investigating Officer as and when called for further investigation.

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

(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

November 21, 2019

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No