

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

Sr. No.207

CRM-M-47723 of 2019

DECIDED ON: December 17, 2019

MANOJ KUMAR SHARMA @ GOPI

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Munish Puri, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. P.S. Walia, AAG, Punjab.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in FIR No.49, dated 04.08.2019 registered at Police Station Sadar Pathankot, District Pathankot under Section 61(1) of Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (Annexure P-1).

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the order dated 08.11.2019, petitioner has joined the investigation and has been cooperating therewith. This is not disputed by the learned counsel for the State.

Accordingly, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 08.11.2019, is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions enshrined under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, by him.

December 17, 2019

Ankur

**(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No