

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

CRM-M-11821 of 2020.

Decided on:- August 04, 2020.

Neeraj Watts.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.*

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Mr. Venu Gopal Jauhar, Sr. D.A.G., Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.28 dated 25.02.2020 under Section 13-A of the Punjab Gambling Act, 1867 and Sections 420 and 120-B IPC registered at Police Station City Jalalabad, District Fazilka.

Learned State counsel states that pursuant to the order dated 20.03.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required at this stage.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 20.03.2020 is made absolute.

However, if required, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

August 04, 2020
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether Reportable:	No