

...Petitioner

...Respondent

“Learned counsel for the petitioner seeks concession of interim bail on the ground of parity with the co-accused, who has been granted interim bail by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court, vide order dated 01.06.2020 (Annexure P-3). He further contends that the petitioner being an

employee of the firm likewise is situated similarly and not personally liable for the affairs of the firm. He submits that the petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG Punjab, who has joined proceedings, on service of advance copy of petition, accepts notice on behalf of State of Punjab.

Adjourned to 21.07.2020.

To be heard along with CRM-M-13455 of 2020.

In the meantime, petitioner is directed to join the investigation and make himself available as and when called for. In the event of arrest, he shall be released on interim bail till the next date of hearing, on his furnishing personal bonds to the satisfaction of Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

On the adjourned date i.e. 21.07.2020, learned counsel for the petitioner with reference to medical report states that the petitioner could not join the investigation owing to the medical condition of his son who was diagnosed as Cancer patient. The petitioner is a resident of Burj (Gujarat).

Owing to medical condition of the son of the petitioner, one more adjournment was granted to the petitioner to join investigation alongwith interim order and the case was adjourned for 27.08.2020. Due to some typographical error in respect of adjourned date, the same was corrected on 08.09.2020 and the

petitioner was directed to appear before the Investigation Officer on 14.09.2020 as per the condition of order dated 27.08.2020.

Mr. R.P. Singh, learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Gurdeep Singh states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no more required for further investigation of the case.

In view of aforesaid factual position, the interim order dated 16.06.2020 is made absolute. However, petitioner shall keep on joining the investigation as and when required to do so and he shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands disposed of.

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

15.09.2020
Manpreet

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether reportable	No