

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-17832-2020 (O&M)

Date of decision: 08.07.2020

Sandeep Singh @ Kalu

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Gurbir Singh Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.79 dated 08.06.2020 under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 1914, registered at Police Station Chhajli, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per allegations in the FIR, a secret information was received that co-accused Amandeep Singh @ Dhattu, Pardeep Singh @ Seepa and petitioner Sandeep Singh @ Kalu are involved in the business of selling country made liquor, by bringing it from outside the State. Thereafter, a raid was conducted at the house of co-accused Amandeep Singh @ Dhattu and Pardeep Singh @ Seepa and 120 bottles were recovered, however, they were not arrested from the spot. It is further submitted that there was no recovery from house of the petitioner and he is just a daily wager.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that the petitioner is involved in one more FIR, in which he is on bail.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, without commenting anything further on merits of the case, considering the facts and circumstances of the case, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is granted anticipatory bail subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

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[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No