

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

Sr. No.202

CRM-M-19530-2020

Date of decision: 17.09.2020

Gurjant Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr. Maninder Singh Bajwa, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

Through the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., the petitioner seeks the grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.0017 dated 14.02.2020 registered under Sections 363, 366 and 120-B IPC at Police Station Ajnala, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that on 16.06.2020, the Trial Court had granted anticipatory bail to the petitioner but due to miscommunication of such order by his counsel to him, he could not join the investigation. The petitioner regrets such lapse on his part and undertakes to abide by any condition that this Court may impose on him while granting him anticipatory bail. It is further submitted that under the interim orders passed by this Court, the petitioner has not only joined the investigation but he has also fully cooperated with the investigating agency.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Baljit Singh

submits that under the interim orders passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation; cooperated with the investigating agency and that his custodial interrogation is not required.

After considering the totality of the facts as noticed above and particularly the statement made by learned State counsel that the petitioner has joined investigation and that his custodial interrogation is not required, the order of this Court dated 20.07.2020 granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

Nothing observed herein-above shall be considered to be an expression of opinion by this Court on the merits of the case.

(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

September 17, 2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No