

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-22289-2020(O&M)

Date of Decision:11.08.2020

SATYAPAL SHARMA

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Sandeep Singh Ghangas, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)

Hearing of the case was held through video conferencing on account of restricted functioning of the Courts.

The petitioner prays for grant of pre-arrest bail in a criminal case arising from FIR No.0405 dated 03.07.2019, registered under Section 174A IPC, at Police Station Samalkha, District Panipat, is not maintainable. However, facts of the case and in the interest of justice, this petition is treated to have been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C..

The petitioner herein is accused in an another criminal complaint filed under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881. The petitioner did not continue appearing before the trial Court, therefore, he was declared proclaimed offender. Accordingly, the FIR in question was registered.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has drawn attention of the court to an order passed by the Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate, Samalkha, dated 16.06.2020 and stated that the petitioner has already surrendered before the trial court.

Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, the present petition is disposed of with direction to the petitioner to surrender before the trial court

in FIR No.0405 dated 03.07.2019, within 2 weeks. If the petitioner complies with the aforesaid undertaking and furnishes bail bonds with surety of the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial court/Duty Magistrate, the petitioner shall be released on bail.

Disposed of accordingly.

August 11, 2020
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No