

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

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CRM-M-22164-2020

DATE OF DECISION: 15.12.2020

GURSEWAK SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Talwinder Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramdeep Partap Singh, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.0088, dated 21.07.2020, registered under Section 420 IPC read with Section 120 –B IPC, at Police Station Sadar Kotkapura, District Faridkot.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged that the petitioner had taken money from the complainant to send his son abroad. He, however, contends that there is a delay of two years in registering the FIR.

A coordinate Bench of this Court, by the order dated 10.08.2020, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Gurjant Singh, states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 10.08.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

15.12.2020

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