

112 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-23095-2020

Date of Decision: 18.08.2020

Parminder Singh @ Parwinder Singh @ Goldy

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Vivek Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

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Manoj Bajaj, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in a case FIR No.0114 dated 02.08.2020 under Section 61 Punjab Excise Act, 1914, registered at Police Station Jaito, District Faridkot. He apprehended his arrest at the hands of Police in the above said FIR.

The FIR was registered on the basis of secret information and the allegations as noticed by the Addl. Sessions Judge, Faridkot in the order dated 10.08.2020 are as under:

“Perusal of record reveals that FIR No.114 dated 02.08.2020, under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 1914, has been registered against accused, at Police Station Jaitu, on the basis of secret information that he is habitual of selling liquor at higher price, by bringing the same from another States and if raid be conducted at his house, heavy quantity of liquor can be recovered. Then raid was conducted at the house of accused and in the presence of his wife, 18 bottles of country made liquor were recovered.”

During the course of hearing, it is not disputed that the recovery of the alleged illicit liquor was effected from the house of the petitioner and apart from it, the petitioner is involved in other similar cases as well.

Considering the above, this Court does not find it to be a fit

case for extending the concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

Petition is dismissed.

18.08.2020
Jasmine Kaur

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No