

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

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**CRM-M-24465-2020
Date of Decision:10.11.2020**

JASWINDER KAUR

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Mr. Ajeet Pal Singh Pakka, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Singh Deol, DAG, Punjab.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J.(ORAL)

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to Covid-19 pandemic.

Through the instant petition under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.146 dated 05.08.2020, Annexure P-1, registered under Section 61 of The Punjab Excise Act, 1914 at Police Station Nathana, District Bathinda.

Vide order dated 26.08.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from HC Tarsem Singh states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no longer required for custodial interrogation. He further points out that the petitioner is not involved in any other criminal case.

In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 26.08.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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**(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE**

Whether Speaking/Reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable : Yes/No