

Harpreet Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. H.P.S. Ishar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)CRM-24925-2020

The petitioner is permitted to place on record copy of the e-mail address to the Director General of Police, Punjab (Annexure P-6).

Application stands disposed off.

Main case

Learned State Counsel on instructions from ASI Jaswinder Pal Singh submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation but has not cooperated since he is reluctant to get the disputed money allegedly taken by him to be recovered.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner, however, contends that according to the FIR an amount of Rs.1,50,000/- was actually deposited in the account of the petitioner's wife Karanjit Kaur, against whom petitioner has himself lodged a criminal complaint by e-mail, which is at Annexure P-6, and rest of the story that an amount of Rs. 1 lakh was delivered to the petitioner or any one authorized by him is untrue.

Considering these circumstances, this Court is of the opinion that custodial interrogation of the petitioner at this stage is not called for. Consequently, the interim bail granted to the petitioner earlier is confirmed.

07.10.2020

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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
2. Whether reportable: Yes/No