

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA

AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No.M-30913 of 2020

Date of Decision: 25.11.2020

Sukhwinder Singh alias Balwinder Singh

...Petitioner (s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

Present:- Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. M.S. Nagra, A.A.G., Punjab

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of COVID-19.

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 CrPC is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.116 dated 27.05.2020 under Section 61 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 registered at Police Station Maur, District Bathinda.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to order dated 05.10.2020 of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Sher Singh, does not dispute the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation and submits that his custodial interrogation is no more required.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Considering the fact that the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 05.10.2020 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when directed by the investigating agency and shall abide by the terms and conditions laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

November 25, 2020
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned?

Yes / No

Whether reportable?

Yes / No