

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

**CRM-M No. 32685 of 2020
Date of decision: 14.10.2020.**

Harsimranjit Singh Petitioner.

Versus

Union Territory of Chandigarh Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Parvinder Singh, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. J.S. Toor, APP, U.T., Chandigarh, for the respondent.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 446 dated 23.07.2013, under Sections 279, 334 and 304 (A) of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ('IPC' - for short) (Section 304 Part II, 201, 120 IPC and 212 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Sector 17, Union Territory of Chandigarh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged that co-accused, who was driving the car which met with an accident, had stayed with the petitioner for two days before he could be arrested. He also contends that the petitioner had earlier been granted bail by the trial Court, but later on he could not appear before the Court on one date, as he had fractured his leg which resulted in cancellation of his bail. He has referred to the copy of the medical certificates of the petitioner at Annexures P6 and P7. He undertakes

that the petitioner shall henceforth appear before the Court on each and every date of hearing and would not absent himself except without prior permission of the Court.

Issue notice to the respondent.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. J.S. Toor, APP, U.T., Chandigarh, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent. He contends that in view of the gravity of the offence alleged to have been committed by the petitioner, he is not entitled to the concession of anticipatory bail.

Without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case and in view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, the petitioner is directed to appear before the trial Court within a period of 10 days from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order and on his doing so, he shall be released on bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate. The petitioner shall appear before the trial Court on each and every date of hearing and shall not absent himself except without prior permission of the Court.

The petition stands disposed of in the aforementioned terms.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

14.10.2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No