

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

**CRM-M No.53027 of 2019
Date of Decision : 15.01.2020**

Sunil Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Gaurav Tyagi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Manish Bansal, Deputy Advocate General, Haryana.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (for short, 'the Cr.P.C.') seeking pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.1101 dated 21.11.2019, registered under Sections 420 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Sections 1, 14 and 61 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 at Police Station Chandnibagh, District Panipat.

2. Heard both sides.

3. Recovery of Country made Liquor was effected from the truck of the petitioner. He was not arrested at the spot. The offence under Section 61 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 is bailable and there is little in the FIR to indicate how and, on whom any cheating was practiced.

4. In the given circumstances, the petition is allowed and the petitioner shall be released on anticipatory bail subject to his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating

Officer. However, he shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions as provided under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

5. Disposed off.

(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

January 15, 2020
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No