

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

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CRM-M-649-2020

Date of Decision:02.08.2021

AMAN NARANG

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Mr. Prabhjot Singh, 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.241 dated 27.11.2019, registered under Sections 379 and 411 of IPC, 1860, at Police Station City-I Abohar, Police District Fazilka.

Counsel for the petitioner urges that though the petitioner is named in the FIR, but a false case has been foisted upon him on politically motivated consideration. He argues that the petitioner is accused of being involved in stealing of motorcycles, but no recovery has been effected from him. As per the counsel, the main accused Gurmail Singh, from whom stolen vehicles were recovered, has been granted the concession of regular bail by the trial court vide order dated 07.12.2019. He submits that the petitioner was granted the concession of interim protection by this Court on 17.01.2020 and in pursuance thereto, he has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Bahadur Singh, admits the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation. Upon further instructions, he submits that the petitioner is neither required for custodial interrogation nor he is 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 17.01.2020 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