

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

**209**

**CRM-M-5556 of 2021**

**Date of decision: 25.08.2021**

Satpal Singh @ Pali

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL**

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

Mr. H.S. Sitta, A AG., Punjab.

**HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)**

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through the instant petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C, the petitioner seek anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.172, registered under Section 61 of Punjab excise act, 1914 dated 07.08.2020 at police station Maur, District Bathinda.

Vide order dated 08.02.2021, passed by a coordinate Bench, *ad-interim* anticipatory bail was granted to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 08.02.2021 passed by a coordinate Bench, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Jaspreet Kaur submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 08.02.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

**25.08.2021**  
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**(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether reasoned/speaking?  
Whether reportable?

Yes/No  
Yes/No