

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

**CRM-M-2874 of 2020
DATE OF DECISION :- July 14, 2021**

Buta Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

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

Mr. J.S. Ghuman, DAG, Punjab.

The case has been taken up through Video Conferencing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has contended that since the petitioner has joined the investigation and has been released on interim bail by the police and no recovery is to be effected from him and there are no specific allegations against the petitioner accused, therefore, the petition be accepted.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Vijay Kumar has conceded the factum of petitioner having joined the investigation further stating that since recovery of the material has already been effected from him, therefore, his custodial interrogation is not required.

Under such circumstances, the interim bail granted to the petitioner on 18.2.2020 is made absolute, subject to the following conditions :-

- (i) he shall join the investigation as and when so directed.

- (ii) he shall appear in the Court on each and every date of hearing.
- (iii) he shall not give any threat or intimidation to the prosecution witnesses.
- (iv) he shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.
- (v) he shall surrender his Passport before the Investigating Officer and if he is not having Passport then shall file the affidavit in that regard.

In case the petitioner violates any term and condition on which the bail has been granted to him, the prosecution would be entitled to apply for cancellation of bail.

The petition stands allowed accordingly.

(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable

Yes/No