

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-7459-2021 (O & M)

Date of Decision: August 25, 2021

RATTAN PAL

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr.T.P.S.Tung, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sartaj Singh Thakur, Advocate
for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 291 dated 16.12.2020, under Sections 406, 420 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Dasuya, District Hoshiarpur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the FIR is the outcome of a monetary dispute between the petitioner and the complainant which has been resolved and the matter has been compromised. He has referred to the copy of the compromise at Annexure P4.

This Court, by the order dated 17.02.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Tarsem Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 17.02.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

August 25, 2021
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No