

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

CRM-M-9920 of 2021

DECIDED ON: 17th August, 2021

Gurpal Singh

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

State of Punjab

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Jimmy Singla, Advocate for petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

This petition is filed for grant of anticipatory bail in case of FIR No.02 dated 19.01.2021, under Section 7 of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, registered at Police Station Vigilance Bureau, District Patiala.

Notice of motion was issued on 3.3.2021 and the petitioner was directed to join investigation subject to complying the condition as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel on instructions from Inspector Sudershan Singh submits that the petitioner has joined investigation.

As no custodial interrogation is needed, the interim bail granted on 13.3.2021 is made absolute.

Disposed of accordingly.

**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

17th August, 2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*