

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

**CRM-M No. 7072 of 2020
Date of Decision: 12.7.2021**

Kuldeep Singh @ Babbu

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Aminder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S.Sitta, AAG, Punjab.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through the instant petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 17 dated 31.1.2020, registered under Section 61 of the Excise Act, 1914, registered at Police Station Longowal, District Sangrur.

Vide order dated 17.2.2020, passed by this Court, the petitioner was granted interim bail and was directed to join the investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to the order dated 17.2.2020, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Assistant Sub Inspector Ram Singh, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for any further investigation.

In view of the above facts, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 17.2.2020 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.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

July 12, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No