

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

CRM-M-7366-2020

Date of decision:02.07.2021

Shiv Kumar alias Shiva

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. S.K. Saini, Advocate for the petitioner.

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

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.269 dated 25.12.2019 registered under Section 61/1/14 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914, at Police Station City South Moga, District Moga.

Vide order dated 19.02.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioner was granted *ad-interim* anticipatory bail and directed to join the investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the order dated 19.02.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on the instructions from ASI Harjinder Singh, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation

and is now 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 19.02.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

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(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether reasoned/speaking?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>