

Ikattar Singh

...Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia.

Present: Mr. PKS Phoolka, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. LuvinderSofat, AAG, Punjab.

B.S. WALIA, J (VC)

1. Case is being taken up for hearing through Video Conferencing due to Covid-19 pandemic.

2. Prayer in the petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.119 dated 30.06.2020 registered under Sections 61, 1, 14 of Excise Act 1914, at Police Station Nathana, District Bathinda.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that pursuant to the order of this Court dated 10.03.2021, the petitioner joined investigation, fully cooperated with the police, was released on ad interim pre arrest bail and that his custodial interrogation is not required.

4. Learned AAG, Punjab, on instructions from *ASI Gurdeep Singh* confirms that pursuant to the order of this Court dated 10.03.2021, the petitioner joined investigation, cooperated in the investigation, was released on ad-interim pre-arrest bail and his custodial interrogation is not required.

5. In view of the statement of the learned AAG, Punjab, order

dated 10.03.2021 passed by this Court, is made absolute. The petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions contained in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

6. Petition stands disposed of in the aforementioned terms.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

24.03.2021.

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No.

Whether reportable : Yes/No.