

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

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CRM-M-14797-2021

Date of decision : 14.07.2021.

Jagjit Singh @ Jagjitpal Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondents

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. P.S. Kanwar, Advocate for the complainant.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.83 dated 16.04.2019, under Section 380 IPC, registered at Police Station City Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

A Coordinate Bench of this Court on 06.04.2021 had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the mater has since been compromised between the parties and a petition bearing CRM-M-30565 of 2019 has been filed by this Court for quashing of the F.I.R along with ancillary proceedings on the basis of settlement wherein notice of motion has been issued and the parties have been directed to get their statements recorded before the trial Court/Ilaka Magistrate, however, on account of outbreak of Covid pandemic that file has not been put up for hearing so far. Notice of motion.

Mr. J.S. Ghuman, DAG, Punjab has accepted notice on behalf of State of Punjab and Mr. P.S. Kanwar, Advocate accepted notice on behalf of complainant respondent No. 2. He admits the factum of compromise between the parties.

Under such circumstances, the petitioner is directed to join investigation by contacting the Investigating Officer within 7 days from today and render all sort of cooperation. The petitioner has to surrender his Passport before the Investigating Officer, if he has got one, otherwise to furnish affidavit in that regard. The next date of hearing is fixed as 14.7.2021. If, in the meanwhile, he is arrested, he be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer.”

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Bhupender Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the Covid-19 Pandemic, the order dated 06.04.2021 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

July 14, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No