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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No. 11593 of 2020 (O&M)
Decided on: 09.09.2021

Gurmeet Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. J.S. Moudgill, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in complaint No.119 of 2017 dated 19.04.2017, titled as “Rajni Bala vs Gurmeet Singh” filed under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

The operative part of the order dated 19.03.2020, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“...Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the very outset, submits that the petitioner is ready to explore the possibility of some amicable settlement and to show his bona fide, he will deposit the amount of Rs. 25,000/- with the trial Court within a period of 30 days from today.

Notice of motion for 06.05.2020.

In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to appear before the trial Court within a period of 30 days from today and on doing so, the trial Court shall release him on

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interim bail, subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds to its satisfaction and on deposit of Rs. 25,000/-, without any prejudice to the right of defence of the petitioner and the same will be subject to final outcome of the case....”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 19.03.2020, the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has deposited the amount of Rs.25,000/-.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Mithu Ram, has not disputed the aforesaid fact.

In view of the above, this petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 19.03.2020 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No