

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

**CRM-M-17795-2021
Date of decision: 23.11.2021**

Anil Malik

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. S. S. Sishodia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Kumar Grewal, DAG, Haryana.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No. 752 dated 06.11.2020, registered under Sections 272, 328, 420 of the IPC; Sections 72-A and 4 (added later on) of the Punjab Esxcise Act, 1914 (Haryana Amendment Bill, 2020) at Police Station City Sonipat, District Sonipat.

The operative part of the order dated 28.04.2021, vide which the petitioner has been granted interim bail, is reproduced below:

“Learned counsel for the petitioner relies upon a CD (Annexure P-1) to submit that the police officer had threatened petitioner that he will involved him in some false cases and thereafter, the petitioner has been involved in number of similar cases.

Learned counsel relies upon orders dated 11.02.2021, 19.02.2021, 12.03.2021 and 17.03.2021 passed in CRM-M Nos. 6387, 7948, 1321 and 9881 of 2021, respectively, wherein in similar cases, the arrest of the petitioner has been stayed by the co-ordinate Benches.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Sumit Jain, Addl. A.G., Haryana, who is also appearing through video conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that there are serious allegations of selling spurious liquor against the petitioner and he is involved in number of other cases of similar nature.

List again on 03.05.2021.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, in pursuance to the order dated 28.04.2021, has already appeared before the SHO/Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Vijender Singh and on the basis of the affidavit of DSP (Hq.), Sonipat, has not disputed the factual position and submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no more required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 28.04.2021, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

23.11.2021

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No