

Satnam Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Rajesh Bhatheja, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Ms. Palika, Advocate, for the complainant.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

Matter has been taken up through video conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.208 dated 27.9.2019 registered under Sections 363, 366-A, 376 IPC and Section 4 of POCSO Act, 2012 at Police Station City South Moga, District Moga.

By virtue of the order dated 14.7.2021, while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has joined the investigation and fully cooperated and thus, the interim order may kindly be made absolute.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Harjinder Singh, has endorsed the same and submitted that petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, the order dated 14.7.2021 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the petition stands allowed.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

3.11.2021
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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No