

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

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CRM-M-31314-2021

Date of decision : 07.09.2021.

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... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Arjun Attri, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirpal Singh Thakur, AAG, Haryana.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.128 dated 26.06.2021, under Section 5/13(2) of the Haryana Gauvansh Sanrakshan and Gausamvardhan Act, 2015, registered at Police Station Nagina, District Nuh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged that the petitioner along with co-accused was planning to slaughter the cows. Two live oxen were allegedly recovered without any harm to them. He also contends that it is improbable that the petitioner and other accused would have run away in the presence of the police party comprising several police personnel.

This Court, by order dated 05.08.2021 had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from SI Yad Ram, states that although the petitioner has joined investigation but he is not cooperating.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the Covid-19 Pandemic, the order dated 05.08.2021 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

September 07, 2021

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Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No