

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

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CRM-M-31421-2021

Date of decision : 07.09.2021.

Jagjeet Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Ishan Thakur, Advocate for
Mr. Lakhwinder Singh Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.67 dated 14.06.2021, under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 IPC, registered at Police Station Jhunir, District Mansa.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged that the petitioner had prepared a forged GPA to get the vehicle, involved in an accidental case, released on *superdari*. He also contends that there is a delay of eight years in lodging the FIR and the petitioner is not involved in any other case.

This Court, by order dated 06.08.2021 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 ASI Gurdarshan Singh, 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 06.08.2021 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