

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-33756-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 25.11.2021

SOMVIR SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Deep Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Karnbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 88 dated 08.07.2021, under Sections 379 and 411 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Budhlada, District Mansa.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is alleged that 18 kilogram of stolen cable wire was recovered from co-accused, namely, Surjit Singh and the petitioner is stated to have run away. He, however, contends that the petitioner has been implicated because he is the brother of co-accused Surjit Singh, from whom recovery has been effected. The petitioner is 18 years of age.

This Court, by the order dated 19.08.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the 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 Satnam Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above, especially when the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 19.08.2021 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

25.11.2021

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