

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(105)

CRM-M-41417-2021

Date of decision : 04.10.2021

Sardool Singh @ Dulla

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Ms. Monika Tanwar, Advocate for the petitioner.

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SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to Covid-19 Pandemic.

Instant second petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.216 dated 10.07.2021, registered for offences under Sections 379 and 411 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, at Police Station Jandiala, District Amritsar.

As per the case of prosecution, FIR has been registered on the statement of a police official on the allegation that on the basis of a secret information, he came to know that Gurpreet Singh, Harpreet Singh @ Happy, Bikramjit Singh and Lovepreet Singh were selling stolen wires and oil.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has not been named in the FIR and he has been implicated on the statement of co-accused. She urges that though the petitioner involved in other 15 cases, but is on bail, in all cases. She submits that the first petition seeking anticipatory bail was withdrawn on 22.09.2021 with liberty to file a fresh one with better particulars.

Having heard counsel for the petitioner, and keeping in view of his criminal antecedents, this Court is not inclined to grant the concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

At this stage, counsel for the petitioner has made a request that the petitioner will surrender before the trial Court, and file an application seeking regular bail, which may be ordered to be decided expeditiously.

Request of counsel for the petitioner has been considered.

In case the petitioner surrenders before the trial Court within a period of two weeks from today, and files an application for grant of regular bail, the trial Court shall make an endeavour and decide the same within a period of one week of its filing.

Petition is disposed of.

(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

04.10.2021
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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	Yes/No