

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

CRM-M-42268-2020

Date of decision:17.08.2021

Jatin Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of U.T., Chandigarh

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. K.D. Sehra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Amit Kumar Goyal, Addl. P.P., U.T., Chandigarh.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.24 dated 21.01.2018 registered under Sections 406, 420, 120-B IPC and Section 66(D) of the Information Technology Act, 2000, at Police Station Sector 11, Chandigarh.

Vide order dated 09.02.2021 passed by this Court, the petitioner was granted *ad-interim* anticipatory bail and directed to join the investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the order dated 09.02.2021 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation. It is further submitted that the petitioner has handed over two demand drafts dated 18.01.2021 amounting to Rs.50,000/- each to the complainant-Ram Dass Thakur, before the trial Court, without prejudice his legal rights.

Learned State counsel, on the instructions from ASI Dharampal, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is now not required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 09.02.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

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(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No