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

**CRM-M-47788-2021
Date of Decision: 03.12.2021**

Shankar Singla

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. J.S. Moudgill, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Khaira, AAG, Punjab.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)

Ld. State Counsel with reference to the previous order submits ,
on instructions from A.S.I. Gurwinder Singh, that after inquiry, the
petitioner's wife has actually given birth to a female child about three weeks
ago and that the petitioner's own mother happens to be the other family
member in the household.

[2]. From his side, Ld. Counsel for the petitioner submits that his
mother is a 75 years old lady, and therefore, is not in a position to give
adequate help, attention and assistance to the newly born baby and her
mother.

[3]. Considering these circumstances, on purely humanitarian
grounds, and also considering that there is no record of the petitioner's
involvement in any other criminal case, at this stage he is permitted to be
released on interim bail for four weeks to enable him to look after his wife
and newly born baby, subject to the appropriate stringent terms and
conditions which are left to the Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

[4]. Further, the petitioner shall himself surrender voluntarily in the concerned Jail on the 31st day after being released therefrom and no prayer for extension of his interim bail shall be entertained in any circumstances.

[5]. Disposed off.

03.12.2021

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
2. Whether reportable: Yes/No