

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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**CRM-M-42895-2020 (O & M)
Date of Decision: March 26, 2021**

YUSUF MASIH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr.Paras Jagga, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

On 18.12.2020, a Coordinate Bench of this Court had passed the following order:-

“Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No226 dated 12.08.2020 under Sections 324, 323, 452, 506, 149 IPC registered at Police Station Salem Tabri, District Police Commissionerate Ludhiana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that it is a case of false implication as the complainant party was nursing a grudge against the petitioner on account of altercation which had taken place between them a few days prior to the alleged occurrence qua which a representation was also made to the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana, by way of representation dated 26.08.2020 (Annexure P-2) by the wife of the petitioner. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that similarly situated co-accused have been extended the concession of anticipatory bail vide orders dated 15.09.2020 in CRM-M-27915-2020, 28.09.2020 in

CRM-M-29113-2020 and 01.12.2020 in CRM-M-33519-2020, passed by the coordinate Benches of this Court.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. H.S. Sullar, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Adjourned to 26.03.2021.

Meanwhile, petitioner is directed to join the investigation as and when required by the investigating officer. In the event of his arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.”

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Jagdev Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 18.12.2020 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

March 26, 2021
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No