

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-49332-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 17.12.2021

GURVINDER SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Fariad Singh Virk, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 240 dated 19.12.2020, under Sections 18 and 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Anaj Mandi, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is neither named in the FIR nor any recovery was effected from him. He was arraigned as an accused on the statement of co-accused. He also contends that the petitioner was granted bail by the trial Court, but he could not appear before the Court on one date, as he had wrongly noted the date. Consequently, his bail was cancelled. He undertakes that the petitioner shall henceforth appear before the Court on each and every date of hearing and would not absent himself except with prior permission of the Court.

This Court, by the order dated 25.11.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the trial Court/Duty Magistrate and he was to be released on ad-interim bail on his furnishing bail/surety bonds to its satisfaction.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner has appeared before the trial court on 17.12.2021 and he was admitted to *ad interim* bail.

In view of the above, especially when the petitioner having submitted his bail bonds, the order dated 25.11.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall appear before the trial Court on each and every date of hearing. He shall not absent himself except with the prior permission of the trial court.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

17.12.2021

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Whether reportable	:	Yes / No