

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

CRM-M-51502-2019

Date of decision:01.09.2021

Rakesh Kumar alias Banty

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. R.K. Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Avtar Singh Sandhu, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

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.137 dated 06.11.2019 registered under Section 15 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Machhiwara, District Ludhiana.

Vide order dated 04.12.2019 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 04.12.2019 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on the instructions from SI Jagjit Singh, 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 04.12.2019 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

<i>Whether reasoned/speaking?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>