

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

Sr. No.206

CRM-M-52810-2019

Date of decision: 16.12.2021

Satnam Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr. Nitesh Singhi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

* * *

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for the grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.272 dated 15.10.2019 registered under Sections 420, 120-B IPC at Police Station City Sri Muktsar Sahib, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

On December 19, 2019, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the case. The petitioner did not make any promise to the complainant to send him abroad and did not receive any amount from him. Main dispute is between co-accused Gurjinder Singh and Sukhjinder Singh and complainant. The petitioner is ready to join investigation.

Learned State Counsel seeks adjournment on the ground that the brief of the case has not been made available to him.

Adjourned to 17.02.2020.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so. In the event of his arrest, the petitioner shall be released on interim bail by the arresting officer/investigating officer on furnishing of bail bonds by him to the satisfaction of the

arresting officer/investigating officer. The petitioner shall comply with the conditions enumerated under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C. failing which he shall not be entitled to the benefit of protection of interim bail allowed to him.”

Learned State counsel submits that under the afore-quoted order passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation; co-operated with the investigating agency and that his custodial interrogation is not required by the State.

In view of the above, the interim order of this Court dated 19.12.2019, granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

December 16, 2021

Jyoti 1

(DEEPAK SIBAL)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No