

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-55616-2019
Date of Decision: 10.08.2021

Parminder Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARUN PALLI, JUDGE

Present : Mr. Mukesh Kumar Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Multani, AAG, Punjab.

(The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual Court).

ARUN PALLI, J. (Oral):

Vide this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner prays for an anticipatory bail in FIR No.132 dated 13.12.2019 under Section 409 IPC, registered at Police Station Hathur, District Ludhiana Rural.

Upon hearing the learned counsel for the petitioner, this Court, vide order dated 27.12.2019, had granted ad interim bail to the petitioner:-

*“Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that
FIR has been registered after delay of 06 years and 06 months.*

Notice of motion for 13.02.2020.

*Petitioner is directed to surrender before the police
and join investigation within two weeks. In the event of his arrest
being required, he shall be released on interim bail till the next
date, subject to his furnishing bonds to the satisfaction of
Arresting Officer. However, he shall abide by the terms and
conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2)(i) to (iv) Cr.P.C,*

failing which the concession of interim bail shall stand cancelled.”

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Surinder Singh, submits that the petitioner has since joined the investigation, pursuant to order dated 27.12.2019 (*ibid*), and is no longer required for any custodial interrogation.

In the wake of the above, the order dated 27.12.2019 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition is accordingly disposed of.

(ARUN PALLI)
JUDGE

10.08.2021

AK Sharma

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No