

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

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CRM-M-1756-2022 (O&M)
Date of decision : 18.01.2022.

Sukhwinder Singh @ Boondi

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Navjot Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

CRM-1317-2022

Case taken up through video conferencing.

Allowed as prayed for.

Main case

The petitioner is seeking his release on interim bail to enable him to attend the marriage of his brother.

The petitioner is an under trial in FIR No.100 dated 26.04.2020, under Sections 302, 201, 34, 188, 120-B IPC and Section 51 of the Disaster Management Act, registered at Police Station City-I, Abohar, District Fazilka.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the marriage of the brother of the petitioner is to take place on 21st and 22nd January, 2022 and his presence would be necessary at the same.

Issue notice to the respondent.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent and upon instructions from ASI

Gurmail Singh, states that the petitioner has other family members including

his father who can perform the ceremonies for the marriage of his brother. The petitioner is confined in Central Jail, Fazilka and his release during Covid times may jeopardise the health of his family members and the jail inmates on his return after attending the marriage function.

Heard.

The petitioner is seeking interim bail to enable him to attend the marriage of his brother. There are other family members including the father of the petitioner to perform the ceremonies of his brother's marriage. There has been upsurge in the Covid-19 cases and during these times, it would not be appropriate to grant interim bail to the petitioner to enable him to attend the marriage of his brother. The health of several persons is likely to be jeopardized in the event of the release of the petitioner.

Consequently, the petition stands dismissed.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

January 18, 2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No