

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-9450-2021

Date of decision : 10.2.2022

Amit Kumar Chhatwal

... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Karan Bhardwaj, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Case has been heard through video conferencing on account of COVID-19 Pandemic.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.36 dated 9.2.2021 registered under Sections 420, 120-B IPC and 61/1/14 of Punjab Excise Act at Police Station Partap Nagar, District Yamuna Nagar.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation with the police in compliance of order dated 15.11.2021 passed by Coordinate Bench of this Court. This fact has not been refuted by the counsel for the State who made statement on instructions from SI Charanjit Singh to the effect that the petitioner is not required by the police for any custodial interrogation.

In view of above, the present petition is allowed and order

dated 15.11.2021 is made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

February 10, 2022
Paritosh Kumar

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No