

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH.**

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CRM-M-10736-2022

Date of decision: 17.05.2022

MALKEET SINGH @ KEETU

.....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURESHWAR THAKUR

Present : Mr. Neeraj Madaan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Bhupender Beniwal, AAG, Punjab

SURESHWAR THAKUR, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., seeking the indulgence of anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

2. In FIR bearing No.211 of 27.09.2021, registered at Police Station City Jalalabad, District Fazilka, offences constituted under Sections 411, 379 IPC, are embodied.

3. Since, the learned State Counsel, on instructions given to him, by ASI Jagjeet Singh submits, that the present bail petitioner has rendered the fullest co-operation to the investigating officer concerned, in the making of investigations, in to the petition FIR (supra), in as much as, his causing the recoveries of all purportedly stolen items, to

the investigating officer concerned.

4. Therefore, in the wake of above, this Court does not deem it fit to order for the custodial interrogation of the present bail petitioner. Moreover, and, also when, at this stage, no evidence is adduced before this Court by the prosecution, suggestive of the fact, that in the event of the petitioner, becoming admitted to anticipatory bail, there is every likelihood of his fleeing from justice, and, tampering with the prosecution evidence. In consequence, this Court becomes constrained to admit the present petitioner to anticipatory bail.

7. In nutshell, the instant petition is allowed, and, the order made by this Court on 14.03.2022, is made absolute subject to his rendering co-operation to the investigating officer concerned, and, his not influencing the prosecution witnesses, and, also his not tampering with the prosecution evidence.

8. The afore observations are meant only for the disposal of the present petition, and, shall not affect the merits of the trial arising from the FIR (supra).

17.05.2022
kavneet singh

(SURESHWAR THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*
Whether reportable : *Yes/No*