

CRM-M-13190 of 2022

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-13190 of 2022

Date of decision: 30th March, 2022

Manoj Kumar

Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Sandeep Gahlawat, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Dimple Jain, AAG, Haryana.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):

The petitioner is before this court seeking pre-arrest bail in FIR No. 820 dated 16.12.2021, under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471, 119, 193, 195, 196, 199, 201, 205 and 120-B IPC and Sections 7 and 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 registered at Police Station City Hansi.

The brief facts are that FIR was registered on a complaint received by the employee of Apollo Munich Health Insurance Co. Ltd. The allegations are that in connivance with the employees of the Insurance Co., policies were being issued, so as to enable the legal heirs of critically sick patients to claim insurance claims by changing the cause of death. The petitioner, as an insurance agent by using his ID, issued insurance policy in favour of Sunil Kumar who was the patient of tuberculosis and later expired.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it was a case of mis-use of ID by the brother of the petitioner who is agent in same Insurance Co. He further submits that the petitioner is not the beneficiary and he forwarded the papers collected by his brother to his seniors.

Learned counsel for the State appearing on advance notice opposes the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail. She submits that it is a big scam and without the active connivance of the employees of the Insurance Co., it was not possible. Without verifying the facts, documents and following the due procedure, insurance policies were being issued.

After arguing at some length and realising that the contentions are not finding favour, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission to withdraw the present petition.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE

30th March, 2022
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| 1. Whether speaking/ reasoned | : | Yes /No |
| 2. Whether reportable | : | Yes /No |