

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Sr. No. 212

CRM-M-16215-2021

Date of decision : 10.08.2022

Santi Pal

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr.Ankit Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr.Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

Mr.Joginder Sharma, Advocate, for
Mr.Hardip Singh, Advocate, for respondent No.3/complainant.

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

Through the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in FIR No.27 dated 13.03.2021 registered under Sections 406, 498A, 323 and 34 IPC at Police Station Sadar Rajpura, District Patiala.

On 31.08.2021 this Court had passed the following order: -

“Reply filed on behalf of respondent No.1 is taken on record subject to all just exceptions. Office to tag the same at appropriate place.

Learned State counsel submits that there are specific allegations levelled in the FIR in question against the petitioner of having misappropriated the istridhan of the complainant-wife.

Adjourned to 15.12.2021.

Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation and appear before the investigating agency as and when called upon to do so. In the event of his arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.PC.”

Learned State counsel submits that in pursuance to the afore quoted order the petitioner has joined and cooperated with the investigation which is now complete and that his custodial interrogation is not required by the State.

In the light of the above the order of this Court dated 31.08.2021,
granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is ordered to be made
absolute.

10.08.2022
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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

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