

CRM-M-18360-2021

Date of Decision: 7.2.2022

Sahil Atwal @ Aman and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. S.L. Chander Shekhar, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Ms. Sakshi Bakshi, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

Matter has been taken up through video conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in FIR No.138 dated 5.10.2020 registered under Section 376 IPC and Section 6 of POCSO Act, 2012, at Police Station Makhu, District Ferozepur.

Vide order dated 18.5.2021, the petition qua petitioner No.1 has already been dismissed as not pressed.

By virtue of the order dated 5.7.2021, while granting interim protection, petitioner No.2, namely, Dazy was directed to join investigation.

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that petitioner No.2 has joined the investigation and fully cooperated and thus, the interim order may kindly be made absolute.

Learned State counsel has endorsed the contentions raised by learned counsel for the petitioner and submitted that petitioner No.2 is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, the order dated 5.7.2021 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the petition stands allowed qua petitioner No.2 Dazy only.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No