

CRM-M-17503-2022 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 10.11.2022

Lovedeep Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Vishal Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.
Mr. Manoj Tanwar, Advocate, for the complainant.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.30 dated 05.04.2022 registered under Sections 376, 506 IPC at Police Station Meharban, Ludhiana.

By virtue of the order dated 14.07.2022, while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has joined the investigation and fully cooperated and thus, the interim order may kindly be made absolute.

Learned counsel for the complainant has opposed the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner and has submitted that the petitioner is threatening and pressurizing the complainant to withdraw the FIR.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Davinder Pal Singh, has affirmed the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required by them. He has further stated that they are in a position to file the challan.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, it is evident that the petitioner and the complainant are of the age of the majority and the petitioner

has already joined the investigation. As submitted by learned counsel for the complainant, if the petitioner is misusing the terms and conditions of the bail granted to him, the State is directed to ensure that prompt action will be taken on the complaint, if any received from the complainant side.

In view of the above, the order dated 14.07.2022 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the petition stands allowed.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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