

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-19508-2022 (O&M)
Date of decision: 09.05.2022

Ranwinder Singh @ Pappu

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Rajesh Bhatheja, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.8 dated 16.01.2015 under Sections 307, 341, 427, 506, 148, 149, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station City Moga, District Moga.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, during the investigation, was found innocent, however, later on, in an application moved by the prosecution under Section 319 Cr.P.C., vide order dated 20.12.2021, Additional Sessions Judge, Moga summoned the petitioner as an additional accused. Learned counsel further submits that he has instructions to say that the petitioner will not challenge the order, summoning him as an additional accused; he will surrender before the trial Court and will face the trial.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and has not disputed the fact that the petitioner was found innocent in the investigation and now he has been summoned as additional accused with the aid of Section 319 Cr.P.C.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties and considering the aforesaid submissions, especially that it is undertaken on behalf of the petitioner that he will not challenge the order dated 20.12.2021, summoning him as an additional accused, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to surrender before the trial Court within a period of 10 days from today and he will be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Disposed of, accordingly.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No