

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

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CRM-M-20837-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 11.10.2022

VINAY GUPTA

...Petitioner

Versus

SHANKAR PRASAD SARMA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, DIRECTORATE
GENERAL OF GOODS AND SERVICE TAX INTELLIGENCE

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Deepak Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. TK Joshi, Senior Standing Counsel
for the respondent.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Through this 2nd petition, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in complaint case bearing COMA No.137 of 2018 dated 13.11.2018 titled Shankar Prasad Sarma vs MICA Industries Ltd. And Others, under Section 132 of the CGST Act, 2017 read with Section 20 of the IGST Act, 2017.

Vide order dated 16.05.2022 passed by this Court, the petitioner had been directed to appear before the Chief Judicial Magistrate/trial Court/Duty Magistrate and on his doing so, the Court concerned was directed to release him on bail.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the aforesaid, the petitioner has appeared before the learned Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate, Gurugram, on 26.05.2022 and had furnished the requisite bail/surety bonds, which have also been accepted by the

Court concerned and that the petitioner has now regularly appearing before the Court below.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from the concerned Investigating Officer, does not dispute the aforesaid fact.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 16.05.2022 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute.

11.10.2022

Aman Jain

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No