

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

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CRM-M-22110-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 27.07.2022

BINTU BENIWAL

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present : Mr. Sanpreet Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramesh Kumar Ambavta, AAG Haryana.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ. J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case bearing FIR No.128 dated 27.04.2022 under Sections 468, 465 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (Section 467 IPC added and Section 167 deleted later on) registered at Police Station Bhuna, District Fatehabad.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that pursuant to the order dated 24.05.2022 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for investigation of the case.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Dharambir Singh corroborates the said averment and submits that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required for the purpose of investigation.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 24.05.2022 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) CrPC.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

July 27, 2022

S.Sharma(syr)

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