

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

CRM-M-22257-2019 (O&M)

Date of decision : 23.05.2022

Ramandeep Singh

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Nakul Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. O.P. Kamboj, Advocate
for the complainant.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for issuance of directions to SHO/IO/Arresting Officer of P.S. Mamdot, District Ferozepur/Illaqa Magistrate to release the petitioner on bail in the event of his arrest in case FIR No.110 dated 08.10.2018, under Sections 376/323/34 of IPC, registered at Police Station Mamdot, District Ferozepur.

Vide order dated 25.11.2019 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that pursuant to order dated 25.11.2019, petitioner has joined the investigation and as such his interim bail may be made absolute.

Learned counsel for the complainant has opposed the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Dharminder Dev, affirmed the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation. He

has placed on record status report by way of affidavit of Yadwinder Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police (Rural), Ferozepur and submitted that after investigation, cancellation report was filed in this case, however, learned Court of competent jurisdiction did not accept the same and further investigation was directed in this case and hence, the case is pending investigation.

It is apparent from the facts and circumstances of the case that the petitioner has joined investigation and in the first round of investigation, cancellation report was also filed, however, the same is under further investigation as per the order of the Court. Perusal of the record also shows the age of the petitioner as 17 years. However, there is nothing on the record regarding his juvenility part.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, this Court finds it appropriate that interim order dated 25.11.2019 be made absolute. Accordingly, interim order dated 25.11.2019 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands allowed.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

23.05.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No