

CRM-M-26292-2022

Date of decision : 4.7.2022

Amrik Singh and another

..... Petitioner (s)

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent (s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. J.S. Sandhu, Advocate
for petitioners.

Mr. B.S. Sewak, Additional A.G. Punjab.

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HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

This petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 55 dated 24.6.2017 registered under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 IPC at Police Station Sadar Malout, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Petitioners filed CRM-M-24459-2017 seeking anticipatory bail. The petitioners were initially granted interim bail and directed to join investigation. Later, in view of the fact that petitioners had joined investigation, the interim order was made absolute vide order dated 25.9.2017. However, a condition was incorporated in the order that petitioners would seek regular bail on presentation of challan in Court and that the trial Court would decide their bail application on the basis of evidence collected during investigation.

On the presentation of challan, petitioners filed an application under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail which has been dismissed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Sri Muktsar Sahib by observing that in view of order dated 25.9.2017, the petition for anticipatory bail was not maintainable.

In view of fact that petitioners were initially granted anticipatory bail and that they have joined investigation, this petition is disposed of with observation that petitioners may appear before the trial Court and apply for regular bail. On surrender before the trial Court, their bail bonds be accepted.

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

4.7.2022

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Whether reasoned order : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No