

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-33657-2021 (O & M)
Date of Decision: January, 06, 2022

HARPREET SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr.Krishan Kanha, Advocate for
Mr. Narinder S. Lucky, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.111 dated 15.07.2021, under Sections 386, 506 and 34 IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends it is alleged that the petitioner and other co-accused were blackmailing the complainant. He, however, contends that the matter has now been compromised. He has furnished a copy of the affidavit of the complainant in this regard, which is taken on record.

A Coordinate Bench of this Court, by the order dated 14.09.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Jaspal Singh Khan, states that although the petitioner has joined investigation but a mobile phone and a pistol is yet to be recovered.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 14.09.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

January, 06, 2022
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No