

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-43425-2022 (O & M)

Date of decision: 23.12.2022

Jarnail Singh

... Petitioner

V/s

The State of Haryana and anr.

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Kulwant Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kanwar Sanjiv Kumar, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. Varun Gupta, Advocate, for respondent No.2.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (Oral)

The prayer in the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for the grant of anticipatory bail in criminal complaint No.19/2017 dated 16.01.2017 titled as "Vinod Kumar versus Jarnail Singh (wrongly mentioned as Jainail Singh) under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 pending before the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Narnaul.

On 21.10.2022, the following order was passed in this case:-

"The prayer in the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for the grant of anticipatory bail in Criminal Complaint No.19/2017 dated 16.01.2017 (Annexure P-1) titled as Vinod Kumar Versus Jarnail Singh under Section 138 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 pending before the learned Judicial Magistrate, 1st Class, Narnaul.

Mr. Varun Gupta, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of respondent No.2-complainant and filed his Vakalatnama. The same is taken on record.

In terms of the order dated 20.09.2022, the learned counsel for the petitioner has handed over a sum of Rs.3,20,000/- in cash to the counsel for respondent No.2-complainant today in the Court and submits that the payment of the requisite interest thereon shall also be made within a period of four weeks.

Adjourned to 16.12.2022.

The parties are directed to appear before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court to explore the possibility of a settlement on 14.11.2022.

In the meantime, the arrest of the petitioner shall remain stayed till the next date of hearing so as to enable him to appear before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court to explore the possibility of a settlement on 14.11.2022”.

Pursuant to the aforementioned order, a compromise has been arrived at between the parties before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court.

In view of the fact that in the connected petition i.e. CRM-M-CRM-M-43488-20221 where the petitioner has been declared a proclaimed person, he has been directed to surrender and apply for the concession of bail, the present petition has been rendered infructuous. Disposed of as such.

December 23, 2022
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(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No