

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

(Sr. No. 203)

CRM-M No. 47063 of 2021

Date of decision : 21.02.2022

Resham Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present : Ms. Simsi Dhir, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Gunkirat Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for the grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.25 dated 21.03.2016 registered under Sections 406/420 IPC, Section 24 of the Immigration Act and Section 3 of the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Act, 2012 at Police Station Mahilpur, district Hoshiarpur.

On 10.11.2021, this Court had passed the following order : -

“Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case; he is not involved in any other criminal case; after investigation the petitioner has been found innocent; the petitioner has been summoned under Section 319 Cr.P.C. without any basis; the main thrust of the allegations are against accused Ashok Kumar who allegedly took Rs.14.10 lakhs for sending the complainant's son to USA; the petitioner has already shown his bona fide by taking part in the investigation

and cooperating with the same and that no useful purpose would be served by putting the petitioner behind the bars at this stage;

Notice of motion.

Ms. Gunkirat Kaur, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent and prays for time to argue the matter.

Adjourned to 21.02.2022.

Subject to the petitioner appearing before the Trial Court within 10 days from today, he be admitted to ad interim bail to the Trial Court's satisfaction.

Before the adjourned date, the petitioner shall implead the complainant.”

As per the order of the Trial Court dated 24.01.2022, the petitioner had appeared before the Trial Court and has been admitted to ad interim bail to the Trial Court's satisfaction.

In the light of the reasons recorded in the afore quoted order as also the *bona fide* shown by the petitioner by putting in appearance before the Trial Court, the interim order of this Court dated 10.11.2021, granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

21.02.2022

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**(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No