

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

Sr. No. 208

CRM-M-50385-2021

Date of decision : 8.2.2022

Rakesh Kumar

Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Mr.AK Ranolia, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr.Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (ORAL)

The matter has been taken up through video conferencing.

Through the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in a FIR No.10 dated 30.1.2005, registered under Section 20 of NDPS Act read with Sections 193, 195, 182, 211, 217, 409, 120-B IPC at Police Station Kotwali, Amritsar.

On 6.12.2021, this Court had passed the following order: -

“The matter has been taken up through Video Conferencing.

Inter-alia relies on the order of this Court dated 15.12.2020 passed in CRM-M-32967-2020 – Manish Kumar vs. State of Punjab and another wherein this Court has granted anticipatory bail to similarly placed co-accused.

Notice of motion for 08.02.2022.

Ms.Gunkirat Kaur, AAG Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Respondent No.2 be served *dasti*.

In the meanwhile subject to the petitioner’s appearing before the Trial Court within 10 days from today, he shall be released on ad interim anticipatory bail to the Trial Court's satisfaction.”

Learned State counsel submits that in pursuance to the afore quoted order, the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has been released on ad-interim bail.

In view of the above as also for the reasons that co-accused Manish Kumar, who had earlier approached this Court vide CRM-M-32967-2020, has been granted anticipatory bail vide order dated 15.12.2020, the order of this Court dated 6.12.2021, granting ad interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

8.2.2022
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[DEEPAK SIBAL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No