

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

202/2

**CRM-M-52778 of 2021
Date of decision : 26.4.2022**

Hira Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present : Mr. K.S. Brar, Advocate, for the petitioner

Ms. Gunkirat Kaur, AAG, Punjab

DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

Through the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in FIR No.72 dated 12.3.2018, under Sections 419, 420 IPC, registered at Police Station City Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

On 17.12.2021, this Court had passed the following order:

“Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia relies on the grant of ad interim anticipatory bail to similarly placed co-accused Hardev Singh, who had earlier approached this Court through CRM-M-51751-2021- Hardev Singh Vs. State of Punjab.

Notice of motion.

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

For arguments, adjourned to 26.04.2022.

To be heard along with CRM-M-51751-2021.

In the meanwhile subject to the petitioner's joining investigation as and when called by the investigating agency as also abiding by the other conditions provided under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C, in the event of his arrest in FIR No.72 dated 12.03.2018 registered under Sections 419/420 IPC at Police Station City Tarn Taran, district Tarn Taran, he shall be released on ad interim anticipatory bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer. ”

Learned State counsel submits that in pursuance to the afore-

quoted order, the petitioner has joined the investigation; has cooperated with the investigating agency and that his custodial interrogation is not required by the State.

In the light of the reasons stated in the afore quoted order, as also the statement made on behalf of the State, the order of this Court dated 17.12.2021, granting ad-interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner, is ordered to be made absolute.

(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

26.4.2022
Ashwani

Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Reportable	:	Yes/No