

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

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**CRM-M-1137-2022 (O&M)
Date of decision: 23.03.2023**

Raj Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Prateek Rathee, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Tanushree Gupta, DAG Haryana.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Through this second petition (the first one having been dismissed as withdrawn on 26.10.2021), the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.521 dated 07.11.2020, registered at Police Station Meham, District Rohtak, under Sections 120-B, 420, 467 and 468 IPC and Section 61 of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 (Haryana Amendment Bill, 2020).

Vide order dated 10.10.2022 passed by this Court, *ad interim* anticipatory bail was granted to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the aforesaid order dated 10.10.2022, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Rohtash, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for any further investigation.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 10.10.2022 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions envisaged in Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

23.03.2023
Mangal Singh

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No