

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-19091-2022

Date of decision : 23.03.2023

Pawan Singh

Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mohd. Yousaf, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Jaspal Singh Guru, Asstt. A.G., Punjab.

ASHOK KUMAR VERMA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.221 dated 17.10.2021 registered under Sections 399 and 402 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Sections 25 of the Arms Act, 1959 (to which Section 404 of the IPC was added later on) at Police Station Passiana, District Patiala.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Gurinder Singh, submits that in pursuance of order dated 06.05.2022 passed by the Coordinate Bench of this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above facts, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 06.05.2022 granting interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

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(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No