

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

CRM-M-37495-2022

Date of decision: 06.01.2023

Mangal Singh @ Mangi

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. Ajay Kumar, Advocate for
Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Anup Singh, A.A.G., Punjab.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in a case bearing FIR No.184 dated 04.08.2022 under Section 61 of Excise Act, 1914 registered at Police Station Shahkot, Jalandhar.

Vide order dated 24.08.2022 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that pursuant to order dated 24.08.2022, petitioner has joined the investigation and as such his interim bail may be made absolute. The learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Surjit Singh has affirmed the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation on 20.12.2022 and his further investigation in the present case is not required.

In view of the above, interim order dated 24.08.2022 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

The present petition stands disposed off.

(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

06.01.2023

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