

CRM-M-47487-2023
Decided on: 20.10.2023

Ashok Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present: Mr. J.S. Mehndiratta, Advocate and
Mr. Pawan Singh, Advocate and
Ms. Jyotnoor Kaur Sethi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karan Sharma, DAG, Haryana.

ANOOP CHITKARA, J.

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
544	25.08.2023	Shivaji Colony, District Rohtak	7, 13 of Prevention of Corruption Act 1988 (as amended vide Prevention of Corruption Act No.16 of 2018)

1. The petitioner apprehending arrest in the FIR captioned above, had come up before this Court under Section 438 CrPC seeking anticipatory bail.
2. Vide order dated 20.09.2023, this Court had granted interim bail to the petitioner, which is continuing till date.
3. On instructions, petitioner’s counsel submits that they have voluntarily complied with the previous order dated 20.09.2023 including the condition mentioned at para 17 of the said order. He further undertakes not to claim such declaration as self incrimination, violation of Article 20 of Constitution of India or any other law in force. Petitioner’s counsel further submits that the recovery in the present case, was not affected from the present petitioner.
4. Counsel for the State submits that even otherwise such declaration is not illegal because under service rules over an employee is supposed to declare his all assets. However there are allegations under Prevention of Corruption Act against the petitioner

and his cohorts and they need to verify the details further.

5. Be that as it may, given the fact that recovery of Rs.2,89,500/- was made from one Jagbir Singh not from the petitioner and in the entirety of facts and circumstances of the case, interim order dated 20.09.2023 is made absolute. It is clarified that petitioner shall join investigation as and when called upon to do so and the investigator is directed to verify petitioner’s assets.

6. Given above, the petition is allowed in the aforesaid terms. Pending applications, if any, stand disposed of.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

20.10.2023
anju rani

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether reportable:	No.