

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-54028-2022

Date of decision : 12.04.2023

Harnam Singh @ Sunny

Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mr. Pardeep Singh Mirpur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, Senior D.A.G., Punjab
for the respondent-State.

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.240 dated 04.10.2022 registered under Sections 21(a) and 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Canal Colony, District Bathinda.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Baljeet Singh, submits that in pursuance of order dated 07.12.2022 passed by 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 07.12.2022 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