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

CRM-M-53456 of 2022

Date of decision: 01.02.2023

Gurdev Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR**Present:** Mr. Swarn Tiwana, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Anup Singh, AAG, 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.62 dated 17.05.2017 under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC, 1860, registered at Police Station Mataur, District SAS Nagar, Punjab.

Vide order dated 18.11.2022 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that pursuant to order dated 18.11.2022, petitioner has joined the investigation and as such his interim bail may be made absolute. The learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI, Lakhwinder Singh has affirmed the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation on 19.12.2022 and his further investigation in the present case is not required.

In view of the above, interim order dated 18.11.2022 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section

438 (2) Cr.P.C.

The present petition stands disposed off.

01.02.2023
Parveen Kumar

(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

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