

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-53183-2022 (O & M)

Date of decision: 25.04.2023

Rakesh Kumar

..... Petitioner

V/s

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Sachin Ohri, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seeks the grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case bearing FIR No25 dated 20.06.2022 under Sections 417, 420 and 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Nangal Bhoor, District Pathankot.

The learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the interim orders dated 17.11.2022 and 11.11.2022 (in CRM-M-51735-2022) passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

The learned State counsel on instructions submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation in terms of the orders dated 17.11.2022 & 11.11.2022 (in CRM-M-51735-2022) and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In this view of the matter, interim orders dated 17.11.2022 and 11.11.2022 (in CRM-M-51735-2022) are made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall keep on joining the investigation as and when required to do so and he shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

April 25, 2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No