

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-54549-2023

Date of Decision.:31.10.2023

Billu @ Balwinder Singh

Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present: Mr. Amandeep Sharma, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

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DEEPAK GUPTA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C in case FIR No.118 dated 06.09.2023 registered under Sections 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 2014 registered at Police Station Rajasansi, Police District Amritsar Rural, District Amritsar.

As per the prosecution allegations, 450 Kg of Lahan was recovered from the house of the petitioner in the raid conducted on the basis of secret information, though petitioner managed to flee from the spot.

It is contended by learned counsel that petitioner has been falsely implicated; that compliance of Section 100 Cr.P.C. was not made before conducting the raid.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Randeep Singh Khaira, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent- State.

Considering the fact that recovery of heavy quantity of contraband was effected from the house of the petitioner, no case for grant of anticipatory

bail is made out.

As such, the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking grant of anticipatory bail; is dismissed.

( DEEPAK GUPTA )  
JUDGE

October 31, 2023  
Neetika Tuteja

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| Whether Speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |