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203 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-57790-2022

Date of decision: 18.05.2023

AVTAR SINGH

...Petitioner

V/s

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: ***HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK MANCHANDA***

Present: Mr. A.S. Dhindsa, Advocate for
Mr. Janak Singh Bhinder, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. P.S. Grewal, DAG Punjab.

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DEEPAK MANCHANDA J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the event of arrest in FIR No. 249 dated 16.11.2022 registered under Sections 406 and 420 of the Indian Penal Code at Police Station Civil Lines, District Patiala.

Learned counsel appearing for the petitioner contends that on the directions of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation and is no more required for further investigation in the present case. It has also been stated that nothing is to be recovered from him.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Pawan Kumar, submits that the petitioner has joined investigation on 04.02.2023 and is not required for further custodial interrogation.

In view of the facts that the petitioner is not required for custodial interrogation and has joined the investigation, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and order dated 12.12.2022 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 Sub Section 2 Clauses (i)(ii) and (iii) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(DEEPAK MANCHANDA)
JUDGE

18.05.2023
Ajay Goswami

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*
Whether reportable *Yes/No*

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