

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-5218-2024
Date of Decision:11.03.2024

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Vs.

STATE OF HARYANARespondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Vishal Yadav, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. P.K. Aggarwal, DAG, Haryana
assisted by ASI Rajinder.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.(ORAL)

On 01.02.2024, following order was passed:

“By way of present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., petitioner prays for grant of pre-arrest bail in a case arising out of FIR No.0709 dated 31.12.2023, under Sections 147, 149, 323, 452 and 506 of IPC (Section 325 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Kotwali, District Faridabad.

At the outset, it is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that similarly placed co-accused Sachin Kumar (alias Makhan), who is also named in the FIR; and another co-accused Gagan have been given the benefit of pre-arrest bail vide order dated 29.01.2024 passed in CRM-M-3011-2024 and CRM-M-2710-2024 (copy Annexure P-4).

Notice of motion.

Mr. Parveen Kumar Aggarwal, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. A copy of paper book be supplied

to him during the course of day.

Adjourned to 11.03.2024 for filing status report.

In the meantime, petitioner is directed to join investigation and co-operate in the same. He will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court nor shall make any attempt to contact the complainant of the case or any witness associated with the case. In the event of the arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”

Today learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Rajinder, submits that petitioner has since joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

Having regard to the aforesaid facts and circumstances, but without commenting anything further on the merits of the case order dated 01.02.2024 is hereby made absolute, whereby petitioner was granted interim anticipatory bail.

However, the petitioner shall continue to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

11.03.2024

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(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

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