

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-24593-2024
DECIDED ON: 15.05.2024

PUSHPINDER KAUR

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

UT CHD.

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

Present: Mr. Japsehaj Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)

The jurisdiction of this Court has been invoked under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.136, dated 07.08.2023 (Annexure P-1), under Sections 406, 420, 120-B of IPC, 1860, registered at Police Station Central Sector 17, Chandigarh.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was only an employee of BB Council which is owned by Manpreet Singh Brar and Ravinder Singh who are father and son in relationship. It is also asserted on behalf of the petitioner that Manpreet Singh Brar and Ravinder Singh are the sole beneficiary of any transaction conducted in the name of BB Council and the petitioner's name has been dragged in the instant FIR merely being an employee of BB Council having no relevancy and connecting role in the commissioning of the offence with the Investigating Agency so far.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Manish Bansal, P.P., U.T., Chandigarh accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and does not controvert the aforesaid fact as argued by learned counsel for the petitioner today in Court.

Hence, in view of the admitted set of circumstances before this Court, the petitioner is directed to be released on anticipatory bail subject to his joining investigation and reporting to the Investigating Officer concerned within a period of one week from today, on furnishing of personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) of Cr.P.C.

In case the petitioner fails to abide by the direction given by this Court particularly regarding joining of the investigation, the State would be at liberty to move an application for cancellation of the instant anticipatory bail.

The petition in the aforesaid terms stands disposed off.

15.05.2024
Poonam Negi

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>