

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-25416-2024
Date of decision: 29.07.2024

MUKESH
Versus
STATE OF HARYANA
....Petitioner
...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

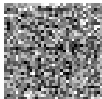
Present : Mr. Ashish Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Additional A.G., Haryana.

KULDEEP TIWARI. J.(Oral)

1. On 20.05.2024, this Court had passed the hereinafter extracted order,
upon the instant petition:-

- “1. Through the instant petition, as instituted under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C., the petitioner seeks the concession of anticipatory bail, in case FIR No.182 dated 10.08.2022, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 of the IPC, registered at P.S. Kosli, District Rewari.*
- 2. By placing heavy reliance upon the order made by this Court on 20.03.2024, upon CRM-M-63357-2023, whereby, the petitioner’s co-accused Pawan Kumar has been granted the relief of anticipatory bail, the learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, since the petitioner is on a co-equal pedestal as his co-accused (supra), therefore, he also deserves the relief of anticipatory bail.*
- 3. Notice of motion for 29.07.2024.*
- 4. Mr. Bhupender Singh, D.A.G., Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State of Haryana.*
- 5. In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation and to appear before the investigating agency, as and when called upon to do so. In the event of his arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating*



Officer. The petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

2. Today, the learned State counsel has, on instructions imparted to him from the official respondent, stated that pursuant to the making of the hereinabove extracted order, the petitioner had joined investigation and he is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

3. In view of the above, the hereinabove extracted interim order dated 20.05.2024, is hereby made **absolute**, subject to the hereinafter extracted conditions:-

- “(i) the petitioner shall not commit an offence similar to the present offence;
- (ii) the petitioner shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case;
- (iii) the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required.”

4. This order should not be treated as “blanket” order. It will not be read granting petitioner indefinite protection from arrest. It shall be confined to the FIR mentioned *ibid* and will not operate in respect of any other incident that involves commission of an offence.

5. Needless to say that anything observed hereinabove shall not be construed to be an opinion on the merits of the case.

29.07.2024
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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No
Whether Reportable. : Yes/No