



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-30854-2024

Date of Decision: 01.07.2024

Ramandeep Singh @ Rammi Randhawa

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL

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

Sandeep Moudgil, J.(Oral)

1. 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.138, dated 22.05.2024 (Annexure P-1), under Sections 379, 506 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Civil Lines Batala, District Gurdaspur.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is a renowned singer and having good financial background, therefore, allegations in the FIR relating to committing theft by him of Activa belonging to the brother of the complainant, are completely unfounded. He further would argue that in fact the complainant is having serious doubts that the petitioner is involved with his wife in an illicit relationship and therefore, the instant FIR has been lodged as an arm-twisting mode.
3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Rajeev Verma, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

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

6. However, it is made clear that in case the petitioner does not comply with the aforesaid direction of joining the investigation within one week, the order passed by this Court today shall automatically stands cancelled.

7. The petition in the aforesaid terms stands allowed.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)
JUDGE

01.07.2024
Varinder Prashad

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No