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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-49575-2023
Date of decision: 05.02.2024

TILAK RAJ CHHABRA

....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : Mr. Aayush Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Digvijay Nagpal, AAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI. J.(Oral)

On the last date of hearing i.e on 12.10.2023, the following order was passed:-

"Instant petition has been filed under Section 438, Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail in:-

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Section(s)
0090	01.12.2021	Singh Bhagwantpur, District Rupnagar	420, 120-B IPC

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a broker and the vehicle in question was purchased through him. He submits that the petitioner has no role in the alleged defrauding of the complainant and he has received a commission of Rs.10,000/-, which he is prepared to deposit. Reliance has also been placed by him on order dated 23.11.2022 whereby co-accused Minakshi Chauhan @ Meenakshi has been released on regular bail by this Court. He further submits that the petitioner, who has a clean past is ready to join the investigation.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr.APS Tung, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent – State.

List on 12.12.2023.

Petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer on 25.10.2023 at 10:00 A.M. at Police Station Singh Bhagwantpur, District Rupnagar, and join the investigation and appear as and when called by the Investigating Officer. In the event of arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petitioner shall deposit an amount of Rs.10,000/- with the Area Magistrate prior to joining the investigation and produce a receipt of deposit before the Investigating Officer as well as this Court."

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in pursuance of the order dated 12.10.2023, the petitioner had joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions, imparted to him by ASI Sukha Singh, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for any further custodial interrogation.

In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated 12.10.2023, is hereby made absolute.

05.02.2024
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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

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