

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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2024:PHHC:031141
CRM-M-53350-2023
Date of decision: March 5th, 2024

Sumit Juneja
.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana
.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Himanshu Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajesh Gaur, Additional Advocate General, Haryana.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner is seeking the concession of anticipatory bail in
FIR No.4 dated 17.03.2023 under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 of the
IPC (Section 120-B of the IPC added later on) registered at
Police Station Cyber Crime, Hisar.

2. While issuing notice of motion on 19.10.2023, following
submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner were recorded:-

*“Learned counsel inter alia contends that the
petitioner has been falsely implicated in the case in
hand. He submits that a perusal of the FIR in question
reveals that no specific attribution has been made qua
him. It has also been submitted that the petitioner was
the distributor of SIM cards and in fact it is his
employees i.e. co-accused, who had committed the
crime in question, as admittedly he was not involved
in the verification of the documents which were
provided by the various customers.”*

3. Thereafter, vide order dated 11.12.2023, the petitioner had
been granted interim anticipatory bail with direction to join investigation.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of order dated 11.12.2023, the petitioner has joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

5. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Narender Kumar, does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He on further instructions submits that the petitioner is not required for further investigation much less for his custodial interrogation.

6. In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 11.12.2023, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

March 5th, 2024
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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No