

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

CRM-M-59488-2023

Date of Decision : 02.04.2024

SHINDER SINGH

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : Mr. V.P.Singh Rathore, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr.Pardeep Bajaj, DAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI. J.(Oral)

1. On 16.01.2024, the following order was passed by this

Court:-

“1. Through the instant petition, as instituted under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C., the petitioner has sought the concession of anticipatory bail, in case FIR No.178 dated 19.10.2023, under Sections 406 and 420 of the IPC, registered at P.S. City Khanna, District Khanna.

2. The learned counsel appearing for the petitioner, in his asking for the relief (supra), submits that neither the petitioner has any concern or connection with the alleged monetary transaction/ misappropriation of money, nor the investigating agency is seized of any concrete evidence, which may establish any link between the petitioner and the alleged monetary transaction. In fact, the instant FIR is an outcome of concoction and legal premeditation. Lastly, he submits that although the petitioner is not required for any custodial interrogation, yet the petitioner is ready and willing to join investigation and to cooperate with the investigating officer.

3. Notice of motion for 02.04.2024.

4. Ms. Navreet K. Barnala, A.A.G, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State of Punjab.

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. Learned State counsel, on instructions imparted to him by ASI Mahinder Singh, submits that the petitioner has already joined the investigation in pursuance to the aforesaid order, and he has fully co-operated with the investigation process, and is no more required for any further custodial investigation.
3. In view of the specific stand taken by the learned State counsel, the present petition is allowed, and order dated 16.01.2024 is, hereby, made absolute, on the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

April 02, 2024
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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

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