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CRM-M No. 33547 of 2023

**Randeep Singh**

**Versus**

**State of Haryana**

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

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The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.0581 dated 22.09.2022, under Section 42-A of the Prisons Act, 1894 (Section 7 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and Section 201 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 were added later on), registered at Police Station Industrial Sector 29 Panipat, District Panipat.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been implicated on the disclosure statement of co-accused Bhola, who had stated that the mobile phone was used in the jail premises by the petitioner as well. He also submits that the petitioner is not a public servant and has been implicated only on the disclosure statement of co-accused Bhola. He further submits that the petitioner was involved in other cases and he was on bail in those cases at the time of registration of FIR. There is no allegation that the mobile phone was used by anyone for the commission of any offence.

Issue notice to the respondent.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Baljinder Singh Virk, Senior DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

List on 08.08.2023.

In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to appear before the investigating/arresting officer and join investigation.

In the event of his arrest, the investigating/arresting officer shall release the petitioner on *ad interim* bail subject to his satisfaction. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

**17.07.2023**

Ramesh

**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)**  
**JUDGE**