

**IN THE COURT OF KAWALJIT SINGH,
ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE, TARN TARAN.
(UID Number PB0155)**

Case Type	BA
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Surjit Singh, aged about 33 years, son of Dial Singh, resident of village Mallian, Tehsil and District Tarn Taran.

---Applicant/accused

Versus

State of Punjab

---Respondent

FIR No.39 dated 17.04.2022
Under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act
Police Station Jhabal

Bail application under Section 438 of Cr.P.C.

Present: Ms. Rabinder Kaur, counsel for applicant/accused
Shri Satinderjit Singh, Additional P.P. for State

ORDER

Applicant has filed the instant bail application under Section 438 of Cr.P.C., seeking anticipatory bail in the above noted case.

2. As per prosecution version, the present FIR was registered on the basis of secret information and following the lead, raid was conducted by the sleuths of police resulting into the alleged recovery of 100 liter lahan and 20 bottles of illicit liquor in the absence of the applicant as surprisingly, despite the heavy presence of police personnel in heavy strength, and fact that the accused is not alleged to be even armed, could not be arrested at the spot. No independent witness was joined at the time of alleged raid despite the fact that the police party otherwise had enough

time and opportunity to join the same. Otherwise also the recovery already has been affected and the applicant is not said found to be involved in any other case FIR, without commenting upon the merits of the case and in order to facilitate investigation, applicant is directed to join the investigation by 04.05.2022 and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to be released on bail, to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer on the following conditions:

- 1) That the applicant shall appear before the Investigating/Arresting Officer as and when called upon him.
- 2) That the applicant shall not leave India without the prior permission of the court.
- 3) That the applicant shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise, to any person acquainted with the facts of the case, so as to dissuade from disclosing such facts to the court, during trial.

Now to come up on 04.05.2022 for awaiting the report from the Investigating Officer in this regard as to whether the applicant has joined the investigation or not and as to whether the applicant has co-operated in the investigation or not.

Announced: 30.04.2022

**Kawaljit Singh,
Additional Sessions Judge,
Tarn Taran.
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Rahul Sharma, Stenographer Grade-II

