

**Mohinder Nath Sofat vs. State of H.P.**

Cr.MPM No. 722 of 2022

29.4.2022 Present: Mr. Shrawan Dogra, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Ajay Sipahiya and Mr. Tejasvi Dogra, Advocates, for the petitioner.

Mr. Desh Raj Thakur, Additional Advocate General with Mr. Gaurav Sharma, Deputy Advocate General, for the respondent.

Mr. N. S. Chandel, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Vinod Kumar Gupta, Advocate, for the complainant.

Sh. Rakesh Roy, Inspector, PS Dharampur, Distt. Solan is present.

Mr. Desh Raj Thakur, learned Additional Advocate General and Mr. N. S. Chandel, learned Senior Counsel, representing the State and complainant respectively, have stated at Bar that prayer for pre-arrest bail in FIR No. 31 of 2014, is not opposed by them.

In view of stand taken by the respondent/ complainant, the order dated 1.4.2022 is confirmed. However, in the event of arrest of the petitioner, in case FIR No. 31 of 2014, dated 26.2.2014, under Sections 406 and 420 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station, Dharampur, District Solan, H.P., he shall be released on bail subject to his furnishing personal bond in the sum of Rs. 20,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer/ Arresting Officer, subject to the following conditions:-

- i) That the petitioner shall make himself available for investigation as and when required;
- ii) That the petitioner 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 him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer;

- iii) That the petitioner shall not leave India without the prior permission of the Court.

**(Satyen Vaidya)**  
**Judge**

29<sup>th</sup> April, 2022  
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