

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-11559 of 2015  
Date of Decision:-14.8.2015**

Satnam Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA**

1. *Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?*
2. *To be referred to reporters or not?*
3. *Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Present:- Mr. Vivek Goel, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sultan Singh Gill, Deputy A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Suvir Sidhu, Advocate  
for the complainant.

**HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)**

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.354 dated 13.12.2014, under Sections 326, 323, 341, 148, 149 and 120-B IPC (Section 307 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Dharamkot, District Moga.

This Court vide order dated 20.4.2015, while issuing notice of motion, has granted interim bail to the petitioner subject to joining the investigation as and when directed by the Investigating Agency/Investigating Officer and to abide by the terms and conditions laid

down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the aforesaid order, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, who is assisted by HC Charanjit Singh, has stated that in terms of the above order the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required at this stage.

In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and interim directions issued by this Court vide order dated 20.4.2015 are made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

August 14, 2015  
*Vijay Asija*

**( HARI PAL VERMA )**  
**JUDGE**