

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

**Crl.Misc.No.M-20475 of 2015(O&M)**

**Date of Decision : 16.07.2015**

Kuldip Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE MAHESH GROVER**

Present : Mr. Pawan Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners

Mr. P.J.S.Hundal, AAG, Punjab

**MAHESH GROVER, J.**

The petitioners pray for grant of pre-arrest bail in terms of Section 438 Cr.P.C in case FIR no. 36 dated 14.3.2015 registered under Sections 323, 324, 506, 34 IPC (section 326 added later on) at Police Station Morinda, District Rupnagar.

It was contended before this Court that it is a case of cross-version, wherein the petitioner also received injuries, which have not been explained by the complainant. It was also contended that the FIR was lodged after about 10 days of the alleged incident.

Noticing the aforesaid facts, this Court had granted interim protection to the petitioner vide its order dated 25.6.2015 subject to the compliance of Section 438(2) Cr.P.C, pursuant to which the petitioner has joined investigation to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer which fact is not controverted by the learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Dilbagh Singh.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case but noticing

the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer, instant petition is accepted. Interim directions dated 25.6.2015 are hereby made absolute, however subject to the condition that the petitioner continues to comply with the provisions of Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

July 16, 2015  
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**(Mahesh Grover)**  
**Judge**