

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

CRM-M-2321-2015

Date of decision: 26.3.2015

Balwinder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE SNEH PRASHAR

Present: Mr.Prateek Pandit, Advocate for the petitioner

Ms.Simsi Dhir Malhotra, DAG, Punjab

SNEH PRASHAR, J.

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in case FIR No.219 dated 3.12.2014, registered under Sections 452, 354, 506 of the Indian Penal Code at Police Station Sultanpur, District Kapurthala.

It is submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the prosecutrix is the paternal aunt of Sarup Singh, who is the accused in the rape case registered at the instance of Joginder Kaur, sister of co-accused Bagga Singh.

On instructions from ASI Lakhwinder Singh, learned State counsel informs that the petitioner in compliance with the order dated 22.1.2015 passed by this Court, has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

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In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 22.1.2015 vide which the petitioner was allowed interim bail is made absolute. He shall abide by the conditions as enshrined in Section 438(2) of Cr.P.C.

26.3.2015
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(SNEH PRASHAR)
JUDGE