

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

**C.R.M-M No.24036 of 2015
Date of Decision : 19.10.2015**

Sumit Kumar alias Shamu

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. L.S.Lakhanpal, Advocate
for Mr.Randeep Singh Rana, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

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

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

This is a petition for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioners under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.181 dated 13.05.2015 registered under Sections 379, 411 IPC at Police Station Focal Point, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana.

On instructions from ASI Narinder Singh, the learned Additional Advocate General accepts the fact that the petitioner joined the investigation and is no more required for custodial interrogation.

In these circumstances, I do not deem it appropriate to deny anticipatory bail to the petitioner.

Resultantly, the petition is allowed. The interim order dated 27.07.2015 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

October 19, 2015

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**(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE**