

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-24185 of 2015
Date of Decision:-24.9.2015**

Harjinder 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. Ajay Pal Singh Rehan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.35 dated 18.6.2015, under Sections 324, 323, 148, 149 of IPC (Section 326 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Ghanie Ke Bangar, District Gurdaspur.

This Court vide order dated 27.7.2015, 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 State counsel, who is assisted by ASI Darshan Singh, has stated that in terms of the above order the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required.

In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and interim directions issued by this Court vide order dated 27.7.2015 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.

September 24, 2015
Vijay Asija

(*HARI PAL VERMA*)
JUDGE