

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

CRM-M No. 27094 of 2014(O&M)

Date of Decision :27.01.2015

Manjeet Singh

..... Petitioner

v.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present: Mr.Surinder Garg, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms.Amarjit Kaur Khurana, Addl. AG, Punjab.

- i. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
- ii. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
- iii. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

This is a petition for anticipatory bail filed in case bearing FIR No. 18 dated 09.03.2014, under Sections 419/420/467/468/120-B IPC , registered at Police Station Gidderbaha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

On 14.08.2014 the following order was passed:-

“ Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that along with Mukhtiar Singh, the petitioner was said to be the attesting witness of the sale deed in question.

Notice of motion to Advocate General, Punjab for 3.11.2014.

In the meantime, the petitioner shall appear before the Investigating Officer on 21.8.2014 at 11.00 a.m. and join the investigation. In the event of his arrest, he be admitted to interim bail by the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer to his satisfaction. He shall, however, abide by all the conditions as envisaged by Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

To be heard along with CRM No. M-26780 of 2014.”

Today learned Addl.AG has stated that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

Consequently the petition is allowed. In the event of his arrest the petitioner shall be released on bail by the investigating officer to his satisfaction subject to the compliance of the provisions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Since the main case has been decided, the Criminal Misc.Application, if any also stands disposed of.

(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

January 27, 2015
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