

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-31760 of 2015
Date of Decision:-20.10.2015**

Bahadur Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

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. Sandeep Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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

Mr. Jupinder Pal Singh, Advocate
for the complainant.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.132 dated 18.8.2015, under Sections 452, 323, 34, 506 IPC (Section 325 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Kurali, SAS Nagar.

This Court vide order dated 17.9.2015, 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 counsel for the petitioner contends that pursuant to the aforesaid order, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Sub Inspector Dharam Pal, has stated that in terms of the above order the petitioner though has joined the investigation but has not co-operated as he has not disclosed the name of other co-accused.

Learned counsel for the complainant also put forward the case on the similar lines and submits that recovery is to be effected from the petitioner.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Considering the fact that the petitioner is in possession of the common compound, which seems to be a cause of inconvenience to the other side, the present petition is allowed and interim directions issued by this Court vide order dated 17.9.2015 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.

October 20, 2015
Vijay Asija

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE