

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-5024 of 2015
Date of Decision: 05.08.2015**

Narinderpal Singh

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

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. Jagjit Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 438 CrPC is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.253 dated 30.9.2014 under Sections 379/420/465/467/468/471 IPC registered at Police Station City Kapurthala.

This Court vide order dated 16.2.2015 has granted interim bail to the petitioner subject to his joining investigation and complying with provisions of Section 438(2) CrPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to order dated 16.2.2015 of this Court, the petitioner has joined

investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Lakhwinder Singh, does not dispute the aforesaid fact that the petitioner has joined investigation and submits that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required at this stage.

Considering the fact that the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required at this stage, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 16.2.2015 passed by this Court is 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) CrPC.

August 05, 2015
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE