

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

**CRM-M No.21378 of 2016
Date of decision: July 23, 2016**

Jagseer Singh @ Ladi and another ...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. J.K. Singla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab.

JASPAL SINGH, J.(ORAL)

The present petition has been preferred by the petitioners, under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of pre-arrest bail, feeling apprehension of their arrest, in case bearing FIR No.56, dated 28.05.2016, under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 1914, registered at Police Station Bhikhi, District Mansa.

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by a coordinate Bench of this court on June 17, 2016 :-

“Notice of motion.

On the asking of Mr. Rajesh Bhardwaj, Addl. A.G. Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Post the matter for hearing on 18.07.2016.

Considering the nature of allegation as against the petitioners, interim anticipatory bail is granted in the following terms:-

In the event of arrest, the petitioners shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigation Officer. They shall join the investigation as and when required by the Investigating Officer. They also comply with the conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.”.

On instructions from ASI Gurtej Singh, learned State counsel has submitted that in compliance of order dated June 17, 2016, petitioners have already joined the investigation and are no more required for further interrogation.

Taking into consideration the above facts of the case, interim order dated June 17, 2016 is made absolute, subject to the conditions, as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

July 23, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE