

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No.M-22273 of 2016
Date of Decision: 03.10.2016

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...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

Present:- Mr. Bhavyadeep Singh Walia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.130 dated 5.7.2015 under Sections 406, 420, 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Rajpura City, District Patiala.

Vide order dated 8.7.2016, this Court while issuing notice of motion, returnable for today, has granted interim bail to the petitioner subject to his joining investigation and complying with the conditions under Section 438(2) CrPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that pursuant to order dated 8.7.2016 of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Gurmail Singh, does not dispute the aforesaid fact and submits that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is no more required at this stage.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

In view of the stand of learned State counsel that the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 8.7.2016 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when directed by the investigating agency and shall abide by the terms and conditions laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

October 03, 2016
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned?
Whether reportable?

Yes / No
Yes / No