

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

CRM-M -33002 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: 10.11.2016

Joga Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. H.S. Bhullar, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab
assisted by HC Raj Pal Singh.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.39 dated 24.03.2016, registered under Sections 399, 402, 379 and 420 of IPC, at Police Station City Sri Muktsar Sahib.

On 19.09.2016, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel contends that petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case being the owner of the car which was taken away without permission by the brother of the petitioner, namely, Charan Singh. Petitioner was not arrested from the spot. Even no recovery was effected from the vehicle of the petitioner.

Notice of motion for 10.11.2016.

Meanwhile, in the event of arrest of the petitioner by

the Arresting Officer, he shall be released on interim bail subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That he shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;*
- 2. That he shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer and;*
- 3. That he shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court."*

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 19.09.2016, the petitioner has joined the investigation

The learned State counsel, on instructions submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 19.09.2016, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

10.11.2016
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable:	Yes	No