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

Sr. No. 202-A

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Date of decision: July 21, 2016

Devinder Singh

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. G.S. Dhillon, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. RPS Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

JASPAL SINGH, J

This is a petition preferred by the petitioner under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking pre-arrest bail in case FIR No. 10, dated February 18, 2016, under Sections 379, 447, 429, 506, 511 IPC, registered at Police Station Kot Dharmu, District Mansa (Punjab).

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by a coordinate Bench of this Court on March 10, 2016:-

“Petitioner apprehends arrest in a case registered at the instance of Makhan Singh alleging that Darshan Singh and others had tried to demolish kachha khal and usurp the land of the complainant.

It appears that there has been litigation regarding the water irrigation channel between the petitioner and the complainant.

Notice to the Advocate General, Punjab, for 11.4.2016.

Meanwhile, an interim direction is issued that the petitioner

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will join investigation on or before 26.3.2016. In case of petitioner doing so, he shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the arresting officer.”

On instruction from ASI Swaranjit Singh, learned State counsel has submitted that in compliance of order dated March 10, 2016, petitioner has already joined the investigation on April 23, 2016 and is no more required for further investigation.

Taking into consideration the above facts of the case, interim order dated March 10, 2016 is made absolute, subject to the conditions, as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

July 21, 2016

Ankur

**(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE**