

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

CRM-M-28926 of 2017.
Decided on:-21.09.2017.

Paramjeet Singh Patwari.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

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

Present:- Mr. Ranjit Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Dhaliwal, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J.(ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case bearing FIR No.99 dated 21.06.2017 under Sections 420 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station Patti Sadar, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to the order dated September 04, 2017 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Charan Singh, does not dispute the aforesaid fact and states that the petitioner has appeared before the investigating officer and has given his signatures for onward

comparison from the FSL. Therefore, the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required at this stage.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required at this stage, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated September 04, 2017 is made absolute.

However, if required, 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) Cr.P.C.

It is made clear that in case at a later stage, custodial interrogation of the petitioner is required during investigation, the arresting officer shall give a prior notice of seven days to the petitioner.

September 21, 2017
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No