

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

**CRM-M-37556-2016
Date of decision-19.01.2017**

Karan Khullar @ Pankaj and another

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Gautam Thapar, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 read with Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.126 dated 11.09.2014, registered under Section 3 of the Schedule Caste/Schedule Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities Act 1989) at Police Station Division No.5, District Jalandhar.

On 14.12.2016, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Having been summoned as an additional accused under Section 319 Cr.P.C, the petitioners, apprehending arrest, seek concession of prearrest bail.

Notice to Advocate General, Punjab for 19.01.2017.

Meanwhile, an interim direction is issued that the petitioners will put in appearance before the trial Court on 16.12.2016. In case of petitioners doing so, they will be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the said Court.”

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 14.12.2016, the petitioners have appeared before the trial Court and have furnished bail/sureties bonds.

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 14.12.2016, is made absolute.

The petition stands allowed.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

January 19, 2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No