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

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Date of Decision: 06.12.2017

Satyavaranjit Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Vinay Kumar Malhotra, Advocate for
Mr. Karanjit Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ayush Sarna, AAG, Punjab

INDERJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioner-Satyavaranjit Singh has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for brevity, 'Cr.P.C.') for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.139 dated 07.10.2017, registered at Police Station Kamboj, District Amritsar Rural, under Sections 304, 279, 337, 338 and 427 of IPC.

Notice of motion was issued in this case. Learned State counsel has put in appearance on behalf of the respondent-State and contested this petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and have gone through the record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner stated that offence under Section 304-A IPC, which is bailable one, has been converted into Section 304 of IPC.

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From the record, I find that as per the FIR, Jaskaran Singh @ Titu son of the complainant was going on motor-cycle and a car stated to be driven by the present petitioner at a high speed and in a rash and negligent manner, hit the motor-cycle of Jaskaran Singh @ Titu and dragged the motor-cycle for about 100-150 meters. The driver and one another person sitting in the car, who were stated to be in a drunken condition, ran away from the spot.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts of the case in minute details and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I find that the petitioner has already joined the investigation and that he is not required for custodial interrogation and, therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending him to custody. Finding merit in the present petition, the same is allowed. The order dated 02.11.2017, granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

06.12.2017

parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
	Whether reportable	:	No