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

**CRM-M-5067 of 2017
Date of decision : 03.05.2017**

Vija alias Vijay Kumar

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Sarju Puri, Advocate for
Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S. Nain, AAG, Punjab.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C seeking anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 43 dated 25.02.2012 registered under Sections 454 and 380 IPC at Police Station Nakodar District Jalandhar.

On 16.02.2017 this Court had passed the following order:-

“It is inter alia submitted that the FIR has been registered after a delay of almost one and a half month from the alleged date of occurrence and petitioner-Vijay Kumar, happens to be the immediate neighbour of complainant-Usha and the entire gamut of the allegations are based on mere suspicion.

Notice of motion for 3rd May, 2017.

Meanwhile, in the event of arrest, the petitioner be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of arresting/investigating officer. The petitioner shall, however, join the investigation as and when called for to do so and he shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 16.02.2017, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

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

In view of above, the order dated 16.02.2017 passed by this Court is made absolute, subject to furnishing of bail-bonds/surety bonds by the petitioner to the satisfaction of the CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

May 03, 2017
Ramandeep Singh

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