

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-8545 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 08.08.2017

Gurpreet Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present : Mr. Surinder Kaur, Advocate, for
Mr. R.S. Malhotra, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Abhaypal Singh Gill, AAG, Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the event of arrest in FIR No.212 dated 21.11.2014 registered under Sections 354-A, 506, 341, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code and Sections 3 and 4 of POCSO Act (added later on), at Police Station Sultanpur Lodhi, District Kapurthala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case and on the direction of this Court, has joined the investigation.

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

In view of the facts that the petitioner is not required for custodial interrogation and has joined the investigation, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and order dated 19.05.2017, granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438, Sub-Section (2) Clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

08.08.2017
Dinesh Bansal

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No