

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

**CRM-M-24719-2018(O&M)
Date of Decision : 18.08.2018**

Amit Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE P.B.BAJANTHRI

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, AAG, Punjab.

1. In the instant petition, petitioner has sought for anticipatory bail under the provisions of Section 438 Cr.P.C. in FIR No. 68 dated 27.04.2018 for the offence under Section 408 IPC registered at Police Station Division No. 6 District Jalandhar Commissionerate.
2. This Court vide order dated 05.07.2018 granted the benefit of interim bail and pursuant that order, the petitioner joined investigation. Even the observation made by this Court in order dated 05.07.2018 gone rebutted.
3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Hardeep Kumar, submits that though the petitioner has joined the investigation, his presence is still required for the purpose of further investigation and in that event, the petitioner has to cooperate as and when investigating officer calls the petitioner to join the investigation.
4. In view of the facts and circumstances of the case without commenting on the merits of the case, the interim order dated 05.07.2018, granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute. The petitioner shall remain bound the conditions as envisaged in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

18th August, 2018

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**(P.B. BAJANTHRI)
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned?
Whether reportable?*

*Yes
No*