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

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Date of Decision:31.08.2018

Manpreet Singh and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Ms. Jasneet Mehra, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

INDERJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioners-Manpreet Singh and Rajwinder Singh @ Jago @ Jugraj Singh have 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.64 dated 14.09.2017, registered at Police Station Sarai Amanat Khan, District Tarn Taran, under Sections 452, 379, 447, 511, 506, 148, 149 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code.

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 petitioners as well as learned State counsel and have gone through the record.

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From the record, I find that FIR, in the present case, has been registered on the statement of complainant-Sukhraj Kaur. As per the allegations, the petitioner as well as co-accused, who are named in the FIR and 10-15 unidentified persons with deadly weapons entered into the house of complainant and tried to take possession of the house forcibly. They also started pelting brick-bats.

As per the prosecution version, none has received any injury.

In pursuance of the interim order dated 24.07.2018 passed by this Court, the petitioners have already joined the investigation. They are not required for custodial interrogation. Therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending them to custody.

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 merit in this petition and the same is allowed. The order dated 24.07.2018, granting interim bail to the petitioners, is made absolute. However, the petitioners 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.

31.08.2018

parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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