

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

Crl. Misc. M-33813 of 2017 (O&M)  
Date of Decision: January 25, 2018

Jatinder Singh @ Kaku

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR**

Present:- Mr. B.S. Jaswal, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mrs. Anju Arora, Addl. AG Punjab.

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**JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)**

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the event of arrest in FIR No.40 dated 20.03.2017, under Sections 363, 366-A of Indian Penal Code (offence under Sections 9, 10 and 11 of Prohibition of Child Marriage Act added later on) registered at Police Station Islamabad, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is falsely implicated in the present case and on the direction of this Court, has joined the investigation. It is also contended that nothing is to be recovered from him.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Investigating Officer, submits that 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 13.09.2017 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.

**January 25, 2018**  
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**(JAISHREE THAKUR)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether reportable

Yes  
Yes/No