

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

CRM-M-45359 of 2017

Date of decision: January 24, 2018

Gurpreet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. G.S. Verma, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. A.A. Pathak, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J.(oral)

This is a petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking pre-arrest bail in a case registered against the petitioner under Section 61(i)(a) of The Punjab Excise Act, 1914 at Police Station Samrala, District Ludhiana, vide FIR No.291 dated 27.10.2017.

Learned State counsel submits that pursuant to order dated November 29, 2017, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated November 29, 2017 is hereby made absolute, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands allowed in aforesaid terms.

**(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE**

January 24, 2018
'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No