

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

CRM-M-47697 of 2017

Date of decision: January 17, 2018

Mela Singh @ Mewa Singh and another ...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Jashandeep Singh Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. C.L. Pawar, Senior DAG, 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 petitioners under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 1914 at Police Station Talwandi Sabo, Bathinda, District Bathinda, vide FIR No.358 dated 30.11.2017.

Learned State counsel (on the instructions from ASI Krishan Singh, who is present in court) submits that pursuant to order dated December 14, 2017, the petitioners have joined the investigation and are no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated December 14, 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 17, 2018

'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No