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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-49285-2018

Date of decision-19.12.2018

Mandeep Kumar @ Kalu

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. J.S.Grewal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Nikhil Chopra, Addl.AG, Punjab.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J.

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.136 dated 05.07.2018 registered under Section 306 of the Indian Penal Code at Police Station City Rupnagar, District Rupnagar.

On 12.11.2018, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed reliance upon the suicide note left by the deceased wherein he has levelled allegations against the petitioner and his co-accused Ravi for giving threats and harassing his daughter in law.

It has been further submitted that co-accused Ravi has already been granted interim bail by the Co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 03.10.2018 in Criminal Misc.No.M-38897 of 2018.

Notice of motion for 19.12.2018.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to surrender before the Arresting/Investigating Officer within seven days. On doing so, he shall be released on interim bail, subject to his furnishing bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. However, he shall abide

*by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. failing which he shall lose the benefit of interim bail allowed to him.
To be heard alongwith Criminal Misc.No.M-38897 of 2018.”*

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that in pursuance of the order dated 12.11.2018, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Angrej Singh submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 12.11.2018, is made absolute.

The petition stands allowed.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

19.12.2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No