

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

**Criminal Misc. No.M-49529 of 2017**  
**Date of Decision: 06.07.2018**

Mandeep Singh

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA**

Present:- Mr. P.S. Ahluwalia, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Surinder Pal Singh Tinna, Addl.A.G., Punjab.  
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**HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)**

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.92 dated 04.11.2017 for offence punishable under Sections 306, 34 IPC registered at Police Station GRP Sirhind, District Fateharh Sahib

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to order dated 22.12.2017 of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation. He further submits that vide order dated 2.7.2018, the trial Court has also framed charges against the accused including the petitioner and the case is now fixed for prosecution evidence on 17.07.2018. He has produced copies of the challan and the order dated 02.07.2018 passed by the trial Court.

Learned State counsel submits that the IO has not turned up to assist him in the case.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Considering the fact that the trial Court has framed charges and the case is now fixed for prosecution evidence on 17.07.2018, the custody of the petitioner is no more required in the case. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 22.12.2017 is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

July 06, 2018  
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**( HARI PAL VERMA )**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned?

Yes / No

Whether reportable?

Yes / No