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

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Date of Decision: 20.12.2018

Yoraj @ George Paul

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. A.P.Kaushal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

INDERJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for brevity, 'Cr.P.C.') for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.42 dated 13.03.2018, registered at Police Station Bhogpur, District Jalandhar, under Section 379-B of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion was issued in this case. Learned State counsel has put in appearance on behalf of the respondent-State and contested this petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and gone through the record.

Perusal of FIR shows that complainant-Chanchal Singh had gone to return registration certificate of vehicle of Manpreet Kaur and to get

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back ₹5,000/- from her. It is alleged in the FIR that three persons attacked the complainant and took away ₹3,000/- as well as one mobile phone from him. The FIR was registered on the next date in which the complainant stated that this attack was made at the behest of Manpreet Kaur by Yoraj @ Geroge Paul (present petitioner), Sukhwinder Singh @ Sonu and his brother-Simarjit Singh.

In pursuance of the interim order dated 05.12.2018 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation. He is not required for custodial interrogation. Therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending him to custody.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts of the case in minute details and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I find merit in this petition and the same is allowed. The order dated 05.12.2018, granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

20.12.2018

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
	Whether reportable	:	No