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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-14242-2019
Date of decision-02.04.2019

Sukhdev Singh

....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Jaspreet Singh, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab assisted by
ASI Balbir Singh.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J.

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in cross case i.e. DDR No.28, dated 02.01.2019 registered under Sections 452, 323 and 148 read with Section 149 of Indian Penal Code (in short 'IPC') and Section 3 The **Scheduled** Castes and Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) **Act**, 1989 (in short SC/ST Act) in FIR No.03 dated 02.01.2019 registered under Sections 341, 323 and 148 read with Section 149 IPC and Section 3 of SC/ST Act registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

On 29.03.2019, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner(s) relies upon the order dated 22.02.2019 passed by this Court in CRM-M-8160-2019 filed by Harinder Pal Singh and others.

Notice of motion for 02.04.2019.

In the meanwhile, petitioner(s) shall join the

*investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of arrest, they shall be admitted to interim bail on their furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioners shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.
To be heard along with CRM-M-8160-2019 and CRM-M-8138-2019.
A photocopy of this order be placed on the file of other connected case.”*

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that in pursuance of the order dated 29.03.2019, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Balbir Singh submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation. It is also not disputed that the parties have contemplated the compromise also.

In view of the above, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 29.03.2019 is made absolute.

The petition stands allowed.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

02.04.2019

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