

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

214/A

CRM-M-18977-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 03.07.2019

RITNESHWAR SINGH @ KHAJAMA

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Gautam Dutt, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gurcharan Dass, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.35 dated 26.03.2019 under Sections 120-B, 195-A, 448, 506 and 166 of the Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station Daba, District Police Commissionerate Ludhiana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner are that he was driving the motorcycle on which co-accused was pillion riding and they had threatened one Bhupinder Punj, who is stated to be a witness in a case of murder of complainant's cousin. He undertakes that the petitioner shall not try to contact the complainant either directly or indirectly.

This Court, by the order dated 06.05.2019, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the

satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Paramjit Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has joined investigation, the order dated 06.05.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

03.07.2019

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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