

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

**CRM-M No.38224 of 2019 (O&M)  
Date of Decision: 17.12.2019**

Jagmal

..... Petitioner

*Versus*

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU**

Present:- Mr. Naveen S. Bhardwaj, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Beniwal, DAG, Haryana  
for the respondent/State.

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**MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)**

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in case bearing FIR No.0046 dated 15.03.2019, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Loharu, District Bhiwani.

This Court, while issuing notice of motion on 09.09.2019, passed the following order:-

*“ Contends that as per the allegations in the FIR, Udmi Ram died on 22.04.2016 at Jhunjhunu (Rajasthan), but as a matter of fact he expired only on 03.06.2017 and thus, on the date of obtaining insurance policy he was very much alive and a reference is made to the death certificate annexure P-2.*

*Notice of motion for 21.10.2019.*

*In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of his arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit him to interim bail till the next date of hearing on his furnishing adequate bail*

*and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner is also directed to abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”*

Contentends that in terms of the above order, petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from H.C. Ravinder, has acknowledged that in terms of order dated 09.09.2019, petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required.

In view of above, interim order dated 09.09.2019 is made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

It is also made clear that petitioner shall fully co-operate with the Investigating Officer as and when called for further investigation.

Disposed off accordingly.

**December 17, 2019**

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**( MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU )  
JUDGE**

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| <i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| <i>Whether Reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |