

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

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CRM-M-40064-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 21.11.2019

HARJIT SINGH @ GAGGA

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Jaspreet Singh Brar, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 66 dated 01.09.2019, under Sections 452, 323, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Mallanwala, District Ferozepur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that there is a delay of 20 days in lodging the FIR. The first informant has stated that earlier talks for compromise were going on, but they could not be materialize. He also contends that the petitioner is willing to settle the matter and shall try to settle the matter with the complainant as they belong to the same village.

This Court, by the order dated 19.09.2019, 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 HC Shamsheer, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 19.09.2019 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.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

21.11.2019.

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