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

**CRM-M No.55726 of 2018  
Date of Decision: 23.01.2019**

Raj Rani and another

..... Petitioners

*Versus*

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

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

Present:- Mr.Sandeep Arora, Advocate for the petitioners.  
Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab.

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

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.255 dated 03.12.2018, under Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Gurdaspur.

While issuing notice of motion, this court passed the following order on 17.12.2018:-

*“Contends that civil suit is already pending between the parties.*

*Notice of motion for 23.01.2019.*

*In the meanwhile, the petitioners are directed to join the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of their arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit them to interim bail till the next date of hearing on their furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioners are also directed to abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”*

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from ASI Balwinder Singh has acknowledged that in terms of the previous order, the petitioners

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have joined the investigation and their custodial interrogation is no longer required in this case.

In view of above, the interim order dated 17.12.2018 is made absolute, subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the present petition stands disposed off.

**23.01.2019**

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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> |