

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

CRM-M-11969 of 2020.
Decided on:- October 07, 2020.

Karambir @ Bholu.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Haryana.

.....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Gautam Kaile, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Gaganpreet Kaur, A.A.G., Haryana.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.88 dated 18.03.2020 under Sections 406, 420 and 506 read with Section 34 IPC registered at Police Station Beri, District Jhajjar.

Pursuant to the previous order dated September 10, 2020, an affidavit of Himanshu Garg, IPS, Superintendent of Police, Jhajjar has already been placed on record. As per the affidavit, the petitioner has joined investigation on 04.08.2020. The affidavit further reveals that the investigating officer of the case, namely, ASI Pritam Singh had informed the office of Advocate General, Haryana by way of *e-mail* stating therein that the petitioner has joined the investigation on 04.08.2020.

In this manner, the petitioner has already joined the investigation on 04.08.2020, but this fact could not be properly brought to the notice of this Court.

Learned State counsel submits that custodial interrogation of the petitioner is no more required at this stage.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no more required, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 04.05.2020 passed by this Court, whereby arrest of the petitioner was stayed, is made absolute.

However, if required, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

October 07, 2020
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No