

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-13346-2020(O&M)

Date of decision: 06.08.2020

Sukhbir Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- Mr. G.S.Simble, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. V.G.Jauhar, Sr. DAG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

On 01.6.2020, the following order was passed by this

Court:-

“The matter has been taken up by way of
Video Conferencing in view of COVID-19 situation,
as per instructions issued.

Inter alia submits that the FIR has been
lodged after 4 days on 19.04.2020 and the allegations
are of taking the complainant who is a 10+2 student
inside a room with bad intention. It is submitted that it
was a period of lockdown and the family members of
both sides were present and the dispute has arisen
while disposing the garbage, as the parties are
neighbourers.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Gaurav Dhuriwala, Sr. DAG, Punjab

accepts notice on behalf of the respondent/State and prays for time to find out the antecedents of the petitioner.

List on 06.08.2020.

In the meantime, it is directed that the petitioner shall join investigation and in the event of arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on ad-interim bail by the investigating officer. The petitioner shall join investigation as and when required and shall comply with the conditions laid down in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Darshan Singh has submitted that the petitioner has joined the investigation, cooperated and is not required for further custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, the order dated 01.6.2020 is hereby made absolute.

Petition stands allowed.

06.08.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether Reportable

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)

JUDGE

Yes / No

Yes / No