

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

(Heard through VC)

CRM-M-20607 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision: November 23, 2020

Balbir Singh and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. R.K. Trikha, Advocate
for petitioners No.1 and 3 (petition stood dismissed as
withdrawn qua petitioners No.2, 4 to 6 on 31.07.2020).

Ms. Rashmi Attri, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Sarju Puri, Advocate
for the complainant.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to petitioners No.1 and 3 in the event of arrest in FIR No.124 dated 02.07.2020, under Sections 341, 307, 452, 354, 323, 325, 148, 149 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Garhshankar, Distt. Hoshiarpur.

Learned counsel for petitioners No.1 and 3 contends that the petitioners No.1 and 3 are falsely implicated in the present case and on the direction of this Court, have joined the investigation. It is also contended that nothing is to be recovered from them.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Parminder Kaur, submits that petitioners No.1 and 3 have joined the investigation and they are not required for the custodial interrogation.

In view of the facts that petitioners No.1 and 3 are not required for custodial interrogation and have joined the investigation, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and order dated 31.07.2020 granting interim bail to petitioners No.1 and 3 is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 Sub Section 2 Clauses (i)(ii) and (iii) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

November 23, 2020
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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
Yes/No