

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

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**CRM-M No.23587 of 2020
Date of decision:08.10.2020**

Avtar Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Mr. K.S.Kahlon, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

SUVIR SEHGAL J. (ORAL)

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to Covid-19 pandemic.

Through the instant petition under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.154, dated 23.07.2020 registered under Sections 323, 324, 326, 452, 148, 149 IPC, 1860 at Police Station Shri Hargobindpur, District Gurdaspur.

Vide order dated 20.08.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.

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

to submit that the petitioner is not involved in any other criminal case.

In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 20.08.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

08.10.2020

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(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No