

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

CRM-M-31723-2019(O&M)

Date of Decision : -17.1.2020

Shubam Katakwar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr.Ashish Verma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Rana Harjasdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr.Sandeep Verma, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

H.S.MADAAN, J. (ORAL)

As per the report received from Mediation Centre of
this Court, mediation has failed.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the
petitioner has since joined the investigation and his parents, who are co-
accused had already been granted pre-arrest bail by this Court.

On being asked, learned State counsel on instructions
from ASI Parvinder Singh has submitted that the petitioner has since
joined the investigation and no recovery is to be effected from him.
Therefore, his custodial interrogation is not required.

Learned counsel for the respondent No.2 states that to
ensure that the petitioner does not abscond, he be directed to surrender his
passport.

Under the circumstances, the interim bail granted to

the petitioner on 20.8.2019 is made absolute, subject to his fulfilling following conditions:

- (i) that the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;
- (ii) that the petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer;
- (iii) that the petitioner shall not leave India without the previous permission of the Court; and
- (iv) that the petitioner shall surrender his passport before the Investigating Officer within 10 days from today.

The petition stands allowed accordingly.

17.1.2020
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(H.S. MADAAN)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking :	Yes/No
Whether reportable :	Yes/No