

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

CRM-M-40758 of 2019.

Decided on:- January 14, 2020.

Lachhmi @ Bhindi and others

.....Petitioners.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

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

Present:- Mr. Kanwaljeet Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Ruchika Sabharwal, A.A.G., Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The petitioners have filed the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in the event of their arrest in FIR No.150 dated 22.06.2019 under Sections 323, 341, 506 and 509 read with Section 34 IPC (Sections 379 and 380 IPC added later on) registered at Police Station Division No.6, District Police Commissionerate, Ludhiana.

Learned counsel for the petitioners states that pursuant to the order dated 23.09.2019 passed by this Court, the petitioners have joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Jagir Singh, does not dispute the aforesaid fact and states that custodial interrogation of the petitioners is no more required at this stage.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioners have joined the investigation and their custodial interrogation is no more required, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioners vide order dated 23.09.2019 is made absolute.

However, if required, the petitioners 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.

January 14, 2020
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes
Whether Reportable:	No