

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

Criminal Misc.-M No.14841 of 2020

Date of Decision: January 18, 2021

Dharminder Singh @ Raja @ Dharvinder Singh & another

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Impinder Singh Dhaliwal, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Sandeep Singh Deol, DAG, Punjab.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed by the petitioners under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.61 dated 24.05.2020, under Sections 457 and 380 IPC, 1860, registered at Police Station, Talwandi Bhai, District Ferozepur. The petitioners apprehended their arrest at the hands of police in the above FIR.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has invited the attention of the Court to the order dated 29.06.2020, whereby the interim protection was extended to the petitioners. The said order reads as under:-

“Heard.

Adjourned to 15.10.2020.

Meanwhile, the petitioners shall join the investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of

arrest, the petitioners shall be admitted to interim bail on their furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioners shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C. ”

Learned counsel for the petitioners further contends that in deference to the said order, the petitioners submitted themselves before the police and joined the investigation. According to him, the petitioners cooperated with the police authorities during the investigation and furnished requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer.

Learned State counsel does not dispute this fact that the petitioners have joined the investigation. Learned counsel, on instructions from ASI Pal Singh, further states that the petitioners are not required for custodial interrogation for the time being.

Considering above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 29.06.2020 is made absolute.

January 18, 2021
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(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No