

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

CRM-M-21260 of 2020

DECIDED ON: 9th JULY, 2021

Kuldeep Singh and another

.....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

State of Haryana

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Anuj Arya, Advocate for petitioner.

Ms. Dimple Jain, AAG Haryana.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

CRM-18111 of 2021

This is an application for amendment of Section 201 IPC added during the investigation in main case.

For the reasons stated in the application, the same is allowed.

Necessary amendment be carried out.

Main case

This petition is filed for grant of anticipatory bail in case of FIR No.77 dated 11.2.2020 under Sections 380/457/506, 34 IPC (section 201 IPC added lateron) registered at Police Station Samalkha, Panipat.

This Court vide order dated 31st July, 2020 granted interim bail subject to joining investigation. The order is reproduced below:

"Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioners would contend that there are general allegations that have been levelled against the petitioners in the FIR. It is argued that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the present case.

Notice of motion.

At this stage, on the asking of the court, Ms. Harpreet Kaur, AAG Haryana, accepts notice and Mr. R.S. Malik, Advocate and Mr. Anil Dutt, Advocate puts in appearance on behalf of the complainant.

Adjourned to 25.11.2020.

Meanwhile, the petitioners are directed to join the investigation within a period of one week. On their doing so, the petitioners be released on interim bail subject to their furnishing personal bonds and surety to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. However, the petitioners shall continue to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions as provided under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C."

Learned State counsel on instructions from SI Surjit submits that the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required.

As no custodial interrogation is needed, the interim bail granted on 31st July, 2020 is made absolute.

Disposed of accordingly.

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

9th JULY, 2021

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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>