

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

212 (3)

**CRM-M-32273-2021
Date of Decision: 23.09.2021**

Rakesh Kumar @ Kala

....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE LALIT BATRA

Present: Mr. Harinder Singh Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Additional Advocate General,
Punjab for respondent.

Lalit Batra, J.(Oral)

Case has been taken up for hearing through Video Conferencing.

This petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. read with Section 482 Cr.P.C. has been moved by petitioner for grant of pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.137 dated 31.05.2021 under Sections 323 and 324 IPC read with Section 34 IPC {Section 3 (2) (va) of The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, added later on} registered at Police Station Sadar Patiala, District Patiala.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Assistant Sub Inspector Mashoor Singh, submits that in compliance of order dated 19.08.2021, petitioner has already joined investigation and is not required for further investigation or any kind of custodial interrogation.

In view of above, order dated 19.08.2021 granting interim bail to petitioner, is made absolute. Petitioner shall abide by the conditions as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. in letter and spirit.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

**(LALIT BATRA)
JUDGE**

23.09.2021

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Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No
Whether Reportable : Yes/ No