

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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**CRM-M-13478 of 2022
Date of Decision:02.08.2022**

Vishal Rana

---Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

---Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Neeraj Goel, Advocate for
Mr. Ashish Pundhir, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Ashish Yadav, Addl. A.G., Haryana

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (hereinafter referred to as 'CrPC') is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 91 dated 10.02.2022 under Sections 148, 149, 186, 307, 323, 333 and 353 of the Indian Penal Code (hereinafter referred to as 'IPC'), registered at Police Station Baldev Nagar, District Ambala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that pursuant to the order dated 31.03.2022 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation and is no longer required for investigation of the case.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Pankaj Kumar corroborates the said averment and submits that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required for the purpose of investigation.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 31.03.2022 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner 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) CrPC.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

02.08.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No