

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

CRM-M-23206-2022

Date of Decision:-24.08.2022

Gurlal Singh.

.....Petitioner.

Vs.

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present:- Mr. Harvinder Pal Singh Ghuman, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J.(ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.PC for the grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in a case registered vide FIR No.85 dated 01.04.2022 under Section 379, 411 IPC registered at Police Station Patran, Tehsil Patran, District Patiala.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the interim order dated 26.05.2022 passed by this Court, petitioner has joined the investigation.

The learned State Counsel on instructions from ASI Teja Singh submits that though the petitioner has joined investigation in terms of orders dated 26.05.2022 but he is required for custodial interrogation. On query, he is unable to justify as to why the petitioner is required for custodial interrogation.

In this view of the matter, interim order dated 26.05.2022 is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall keep on joining the investigation as and when required to do so and he shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

August 24, 2022
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>