

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

CRM-M-27175-2022

Date of Decision:-22.08.2022

Samual Masih & Ors.

.....Petitioners.

Vs.

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

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

Present:- Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate for the Petitioners.

Mr. Hakam Singh, Assistant 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.22 dated 21.05.2022 under Section 420 IPC registered at Police Station Ghuman Kalan, District Gurdaspur.

Learned Counsel for the petitioners submits that pursuant to the interim order dated 22.06.2022 passed by this Court, petitioners have joined the investigation.

The learned State Counsel on instructions submits that the petitioners have joined investigation in terms of orders dated 22.06.2022 and are not required for custodial interrogation. On query, he is unable to justify as to why the petitioners are required for custodial interrogation.

In this view of the matter, interim order dated 22.06.2022 is

made absolute.

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

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

August 22, 2022
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>