

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

216-5

**CRA-S-1771-2022 (O&M)**  
Date of decision: 09.02.2023

Varinder Pal Singh

...Appellant

Versus

Jatinder Singh and another

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR**

**Present:** Mr. Harjot Singh Bedi, Advocate  
for the appellant.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Manaise, Advocate  
for respondent No.1.

Mr. Anup Singh, AAG, Punjab.

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**NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)**

The instant appeal has been filed under Section 14-A of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 against the order dated 02.09.2022 wherein the anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.PC has been declined by the Ld. Additional Sessions Judge, Ludhiana.

Vide order dated 16.09.2022 interim protection in the same terms as passed in CRA-S-717-2022, was granted to the appellant and he was directed to join the investigation.

Learned counsel for the appellant has submitted that pursuant to order dated 16.09.2022, appellant has joined the investigation and as such his interim bail may be made absolute. The learned State counsel has affirmed the fact that the appellant has joined the investigation and his further investigation in the present case is not required.

In view of the above, interim order dated 16.09.2022 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

The present appeal stands disposed off.

**09.02.2023**

Parveen Kumar

**(NAMIT KUMAR)**  
**JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No