

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

CRM-M-56167-2022

Date of Decision:-22.03.2023

Rampreet Singh.

.....Petitioner.

Vs.

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

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

Present:- Mr. Sukhdev Singh Khokher, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Ms. Ramta Chowdhary, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. PKS Phoolka, Advocate for the Complainant.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J.(ORAL)

The prayer under Section 438 Cr.PC is for grant of anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.112 dated 19.10.2022 under Sections 323, 452, 34 IPC and Sections 325, 379-B IPC (added later on) registered at Police Station Phool, District Bathinda.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the interim order dated 16.12.2022 passed by this Court, petitioner has joined the investigation.

The learned State Counsel on instructions submits that the petitioner has joined investigation in terms of orders dated 16.12.2022 and is not required for custodial interrogation, however, the gold chain is yet to be recovered.

Be that as it may, the petitioner is directed to deposit a sum of Rs.50,000/- with the investigating officer as surety in lieu of aforesaid gold

chain who shall further deposit the same with the Illaqa Magistrate.

In this view of the matter, interim order dated 16.12.2022 is made absolute subject to aforesaid condition.

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

March 22, 2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No