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Neutral Citation No. 2023:PHHC:161605
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-61948-2023

Date of decision: 15th December, 2023

Rajiv Chawla

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Ambanshu Sahni, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Neeraj Poswal, AAG, Haryana.

MANISHA BATRA, J (ORAL):-

Through the instant petition under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.657, dated 08.11.2023, registered under Sections 323, 406, 494, 498-A and 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860, at Police Station Mahesh Nagar, District Ambala.

Vide order dated 08.12.2023, passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in compliance of order dated 08.12.2023, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Sukhbir Singh states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 08.12.2023 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

**[MANISHA BATRA]
JUDGE**

15th December, 2023

Parveen Sharma

1. Whether speaking/ reasoned
2. Whether reportable

: Yes / No
: Yes / No