

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

CRM-M No. 1251 of 2014 (O&M)
Date of decision: 19.01.2015

Gagandeep Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. R.S. Rangpuri, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Jasmair Singh.

Complainant in person.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in case FIR No.208, dated 01.10.2013, registered under Sections 406 and 420 IPC, at Police Station Mataur, District SAS Nagar.

It is contended that the petitioner has only charged only Rs. 90,000/- out of the total sum of Rs. 3,50,000/- paid to him. The rest of the amount were paid to the travel agent at Mumbai. The visa has been issued in favour of the son of the complainant. The

petitioner is ready and willing to return the entire amount of Rs. 90,000/- charged by him. In pursuance of the order dated 24.01.2014, the petitioner has already joined the investigation.

On the other hand, the factum of the petitioner having joined the investigation is duly acknowledged by the learned State counsel. She states that the petitioner is not involved in any other FIR and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 24.01.2014, is made absolute, subject to the conditions contained in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands allowed.

19.01.2015

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE