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

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Date of Decision:13.07.2015**

Varinder Singh

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE PARAMJEET SINGH

- 1) Whether Reporters of the local papers may be allowed to see the judgment ?.
- 2) To be referred to the Reporters or not ?.
- 3) Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest ?

Present: Mr. Munish Gulati, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. S.S.Chandumajra, DAG, Punjab.

Ms. Himani Kapila, Advocate,
for the complainant.

Paramjeet Singh, J. (Oral)

Instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.14 dated 07.02.2015, registered at Police Station Lakhu Ke Behram, District Ferozepur, under Sections 420 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is not signatory. The brother of petitioner may have signed the alleged forged cheque. The petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case and has not played any role. Learned counsel further contends that

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co-accused Jaswant Singh, father of the petitioner, has been granted anticipatory bail by this Court vide order of even date passed in CRM-M-12471-2015.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. S.S.Chandumajra, DAG, Punjab accepts notice.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Learned State counsel after seeking instructions from the investigating officer submits that recovery is yet to be effected.

As per the version of complainant, the transaction took place in the month of May, 2011, however, complaint has been made to the police against the petitioner in August, 2014 i.e. almost a gap of three years. The dispute appears to be civil in nature.

Having considered the facts and circumstances of the case, the petitioner is ordered to released on bail on his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall, however, join investigation as and when called for and he will also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

State will be at liberty to move an application if there is non-cooperation in joining the investigation by the petitioner.

Present petition is disposed of accordingly.

13.07.2015
parveen kumar

(Paramjeet Singh)
Judge