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

CRM-M-20902 of 2015

Date of decision: August 27, 2015

Mukhtiar Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SABINA

Present: Ms. Nisha, Advocate for
Mr. Inderjit Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. R.P.S. Sidhu, AAG Punjab.

SABINA, J

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.3 dated 30.04.2015, under Sections 420, 120-B of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Non Resident Indian, Gurdaspur.

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by this Court on 02.07.2015:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner has inter-alia contended that Piara Singh father of complainant entered into an agreement to sell dated October 24, 2012 in respect of his land measuring 20 kanals 13 marlas @ ₹9,00,000/- per acre and received a sum of ₹18,88,000/-. As per terms and conditions of an agreement to sell the date stipulated for execution of sale deed was fixed to be January 24, 2015 but subsequently, complainant got registered a false FIR after the expiry of about three years. Agreement to sell has been got executed by taking undue advantage of

illness of his father. However, signatures appearing on the agreement to sell in question are not in dispute.

2. *Notice of motion for 27.08.2015.*

3. *In the meantime, in the event of arrest, petitioner shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer. He shall join the investigation as and when required by the Investigating Officer. He shall also comply with the other conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.”*

Learned State counsel on instructions from Assistant Sub Inspector Jagjit Singh has submitted that petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for further investigation.

Accordingly, interim bail granted to the petitioner by this Court vide order dated 02.07.2015, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**(SABINA)
JUDGE**

August 27, 2015
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