

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-28958 of 2015

Date of decision : 21.09.2015

Sukhram Pal and another

..... Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. Sunil K. Nehra, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. G.S. Salwara, DAG Haryana

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking regular bail in FIR No. 586 dated 14.11.2014 registered at Police Station Sector 5, Panchkula under Sections 406, 420, 201, 120-B IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the Society was engaging employees but could not hold the recruitment and had given an advertisement for refund of the fees. He further states that the application fee deposited by the applicants had to be refunded on presentation of ID proof and those persons who had come forward had received the amount including the complainant. He states that during investigation it had been stated that a sum of ₹ 9 lacs had been collected. He urges that vide order dated 08.06.2015, the petitioners were allowed to deposit the amount that was collected and a sum of ₹ 8,80,000/- was deposited with the Hon'ble Apex Court and the Registry had been directed to transmit that amount alongwith the interest to the Court below but the anticipatory bail application was dismissed. He further states that

petitioners had surrendered and the investigation is over and the challan has been filed. He further states that the petitioners are permanent resident of Bhiwani.

Learned State counsel submits that though initially it was found that a sum of ₹ 9 lacs had been collected but thereafter some more complaints poured in and a sum of over ₹ 16 lacs was collected. Learned State counsel submits that challan has been filed.

Without commenting on the merits of the case and considering the fact that the investigation is over and as the trial will take time, the petition is allowed and the petitioner are ordered to be released on bail on furnishing adequate personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court. Additionally, the petitioners shall place on record proof regarding their permanent residence and also copies of the properties they own while submitting bail bonds.

September 21, 2015

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**