

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CRM-M No.29907 of 2015

Date of Decision:-14.10.2015

Sandeep Bansal.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab & Anr.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Harsh Bunker, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
along with ASI Baldev Singh.

Mr. S.S. Gill, Advocate for the Complainant.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Prayer is under Section 438 Cr.PC for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner namely Sandeep Bansal in FIR No.203 dated 11.08.2015 for offence punishable under Section 420 of Indian Penal Code registered with Police Station Kotwali, District Bathinda.

As per allegations the petitioner was paid a sum of Rs.2 lacs by the complainant to send him abroad for the purpose of a job and neither the money was returned nor the complainant was sent abroad.

It is contended that the alleged transaction took place on 21.6.2011 and on a subsequent complaint the Economic Offences Wing had conducted an inquiry wherein it was found that actual amount paid stood

returned to the complainant.

Learned Counsel for the complainant submits that except Rs.10,000/-, nothing more has been paid.

In response learned Counsel for the petitioner states that the complainant was paid in cash on return of the cheque and same finds due mention on the reverse side of the returned cheque which would be a matter of trial.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the interim order passed by this court petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State Counsel on instructions from ASI Baldev Singh submits that petitioner has joined investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, interim protection/bail granted vide order dated 04th of September, 2015 is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

October 14, 2015
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