

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

CRM-M No. 39669 of 2014 (O&M)
Date of decision: 13.01.2015

Tarsem Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. U.K. Agnihotri, Advocate for the petitioner.

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

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.68, dated 22.09.2014, registered under Sections 420, 465, 466, 467, 468, 471, 409 and 120-B IPC, at Police Station Old Shalley, District Gurdaspur.

The learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the documents were allegedly forged by Dilbagh Singh, the beneficiary, who raised loan from the complainant/bank. The petitioner did not prepare the jamabandi and prior to the sanctioning of loan, no report was called for by the concerned bank. The petitioner is not the

beneficiary. In pursuance of the order dated 02.12.2014, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

The learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that in pursuance of the order passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and he 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 02.12.2014, is made absolute, subject to the conditions contained in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands allowed.

13.01.2015

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE