

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

CRM-M No.19617 of 2015

Date of Decision:-03.03.2016

Ravinder Chopra.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. P.S. Sekhon, Advocate for
Mr. Ravi Malhotra, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
assisted by ASI Sukhdev Singh.

Complainant Kuldeep Singh in person.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Prayer is under Section 438 Cr.PC for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner Ravinder Chopra in case FIR No.141 dated 15.11.2014 for offence punishable under Section 406 & 420 of Indian Penal Code registered with Police Station Divison No.4, Jalandhar.

Petitioner is a travel agent who is alleged to have received a sum of Rs.5,32,000/- for sending the son and friend of the complainant on a work permit to England. Neither they were sent to England nor money refunded.

It is contended that the parties have amicably settled the

disputed and a CRM-M No.1776 of 2016 seeking quashing of the aforesaid FIR itself on the basis of compromise has been filed, which upon notice of motion is fixed for hearing on 3.3.2016.

Complainant is present in Court and submits that in terms of the compromise arrived at with Ravinder Chopra. He has already received agreed amount and, therefore, he has no objection if the anticipatory bail granted to the petitioner is confirmed.

Learned State counsel assisted by ASI Sukhdev Singh submits that in the light of such development there is nothing substantial to say and further submits that pursuant to the interim order passed by this court petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, interim protection/pre-arrest bail granted vide order dated 22nd of January, 2016 is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

March 03, 2016
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