

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-33138-2016

Date of decision: 23.11.2016

Jasbir Singh ...Petitioner
Vs.
State of Punjab and another ...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Lovkesh Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. R.S.Nain, AAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Ravinder Singh.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been preferred under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.69 dated 28.04.2016, registered under Sections 406 and 420 of the Indian Penal Code, at Police Station Division No.2, Jalandhar, District Jalandhar.

On 19.09.2016, the following order was passed:-

“Inter-alia, it has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. The transaction, if any, alleged by the complainant pertains to September 03, 2009, whereas the complaint was lodged with the police in the month of April, 2016 i.e. after about 7 years. Learned counsel further contends that it is hardly possible that on the receipt of Rs.70,000/- out of total alleged amount of Rs.12 lacs, complainant could be sent to a foreign country.

Notice of motion for 10.11.2016.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to join the investigation. In the event of arrest, petitioner shall be released on interim bail at the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

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 19.09.2016, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

November 23, 2016

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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No