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

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Date of Decision: 12.12.2016

Harjap Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Bawa, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner, Harjap Singh has filed this petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.83 dated 16.10.2016, registered at Police Station Noormehal, District Jalandhar, under Sections 406 and 420 of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion has been issued in this case. On the asking of Court, Mr. Varun Sharma, AAG, Punjab, has accepted notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Mr. Charanpreet Singh, Advocate has appeared on behalf of the complainant. They contested this petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner; learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for complainant and have gone through the record.

From the record, I find that as per the allegation against the

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present petitioner, he has cheated the complainant to the tune of ₹9 lacs on the pretext of sending his maternal uncle to Itlay.

The petitioner is in custody since 17.10.2016. He is not required for any investigation or interrogation purposes as he is in judicial custody. The trial of the case will take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody till the final disposal of the case.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts in minute detail and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail subject to his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

12.12.2016

parveen kumar

**(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Note:	Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
	Whether reportable	:	No