

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

CRM-M -12402 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 16.05.2017

Paramjit Singh Warar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. PPS Duggall, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Ms. Harsimrat Rai, DAG, Punjab.

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 FIR No.113 dated 12.11.2016, registered under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of IPC, at Police Station City Fazilka, District Fazilka.

The allegations against the petitioner is that he addressed an application to the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka for permission to shift his printing press from Abohar to Jalandhar. On the application so filed by him, the office of Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka raised certain objections. The file in question was allegedly removed by one Sandeep Singh who allegedly either himself signed on behalf of the Deputy Commissioner, Fazilka or made somebody

to sign. It is asserted that the petitioner neither moved application dated 09.09.2016 for shifting printing press nor he intends to shift in near future. He further states that the petitioner does not own any printing press, rather, he get the printing work done from Abohar. In pursuance of the order dated 19.04.2017, the petitioner has joined the investigation. The petitioner has also given his specimen signatures in the presence of Executive Magistrate.

On the other hand, the learned State counsel, on instructions submits that the petitioner is the beneficiary, however, she admits that FSL report qua the signatures has not been received so far.

Considering the assertion of the petitioner that neither he ever moved the application nor intends to shift the printing press and that he has joined the investigation, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 19.04.2017, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

16.05.2017

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

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