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

CRM-M-17628-2017 (O & M)

Date of Decision:14.09.2017

Raj Pal and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Jagdeep Singh Bajwa, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. B.S.Virk, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. K.D.S.Hooda, Advocate,
for the complainant.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioners-Raj Pal and Hira Singh have filed this petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.63 dated 11.04.2016, registered at Police Station Kosli, District Rewari, under Sections 420, 406, 506 and 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

Notice of motion was issued in this case. Learned State counsel has put in appearance on behalf of the respondent-State and complainant has also appeared through her counsel. They contested this petition.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties as well as learned State counsel and have gone through the record.

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From the record, I find that earlier, the petitioners were on regular bail. However, they absented from the court proceedings during the trial.

In pursuance of the interim order dated 17.07.2017 passed by this Court, the petitioners have already appeared before the trial Court and have been released on interim bail.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; without discussing the facts of the case in minute details and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I find that trial of the case will take a long time, therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending the petitioners to custody. Therefore, finding merit in this petition, the same is allowed. The order dated 17.07.2017, granting interim bail to the petitioners, is made absolute.

However, it is made clear that if the petitioners again commit absence from the court proceedings before the trial Court without any cogent and strong reason, the trial Court will be at liberty to cancel their bail bonds and initiate proceedings under Section 446 Cr.P.C. etc.

14.09.2017
parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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