

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

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**CRM-M-21978 of 2017
DATE OF DECISION:29.08.2017**

SURENDER

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Ashok Tyagi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Tanuj Sharma, AAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.214 dated 17.05.2017, under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Sector-40, District Gurugram.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner are that he has forged the signature of the Head Mistress on the medical bills submitted by him.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further contends that as per the procedure of the school, the bills forwarded by the petitioner are to be verified by several officials before it is put up to the Head Mistress for approval and onward transmission to the Block Education Officer. He further states that no payment for the bills in question was received by the petitioner. The petitioner is suffering from several ailments and both his kidneys had failed in the year 2013 and he had undergone kidney transplant. In support of his

submission, he has appended the medical record of his treatment as Annexures P-2 and P-3.

This Court, by the order dated 20.07.2017, had directed the petitioner to join the investigation and he was to be released on interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Mangal Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner has joined investigation, the order dated 20.07.2017 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

August 29, 2017
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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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