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

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Date of Decision:12.10.2017

Premjit Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Ishaan Paasricha, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. K.S.Aulakh, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Manu Loona, Advocate,
for the complainant.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner-Premjit Singh has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for brevity, 'Cr.P.C.') for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.87 dated 15.06.2017, registered at Police Station Haibowal, District Ludhiana, under Sections 419, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code and Section 82 of the Registration Act, 1908.

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 his 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 perusal of FIR, it looks that dispute between the parties is regarding the inheritance of Bachan Singh, father of the complainant. Manjeet Kaur is the daughter of Bachan Singh whereas Premjit Singh (present petitioner) is the son of Manjeet Kaur. The property has been transferred in the name of the present petitioner by Manjeet Kaur through sale deed.

At the time of arguments, it was argued that civil litigation qua the disputed property is already pending between the parties.

In pursuance of the interim order dated 25.08.2017 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation. He is not required for custodial interrogation. Therefore, no useful purpose will be served by sending him to custody.

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 merit in this petition and the same is allowed. The order dated 25.08.2017, granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

12.10.2017
parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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