

CRM No. M-36159 of 2016

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-36159 of 2016
Date of Decision : 22.08.2017

Sajjan Kumar Bhankhar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Lamdharia, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Tanuj Sharma, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J.(Oral)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 306, dated 19.08.2016, under Section 409 IPC, registered at Police Station Madlauda Panipat.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the FIR has been registered due to political rivalry between the petitioner, who is the EX-Sarpanch and the complainants, who include EX-Panches, wherein he is alleged to have wrongly allotted the land and mis-appropriated the lease money.

A Coordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 06.10.2016 had directed the petitioner to join investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad interim bail.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Ved Parkash states that the petitioner has joined investigation. The status report has also been filed, wherein, it is, inter alia, stated that the entire record is in possession of the police and attached with the police file.

The petitioner has joined investigation in pursuance to the interim order of a Coordinate Bench of this Court. The record is also in possession of the police. Therefore, the order dated 06.10.2016 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.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

August 22, 2017
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<i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>