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

**CRM-M-36649-2017
Date of Decision: 29.09.2017**

Sandeep Bansal

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA J. (ORAL)

In this petition, the petitioner seeks quashing of the FIR No.203 dated 11.08.2015, registered at Police Station Kotwali, District Bathinda under Section 420 of the IPC.

[2]. The sum and substance of the petitioner's contention is that the FIR was lodged against him falsely and motivatedly to harass him. He never cheated the complainant/respondent No.2. On the contrary, he had taken money from the complainant earlier against which a cheque was issued as security. Subsequently, he repaid the money and took back the security cheque on account of which no amount remained outstanding against him.

[3]. The respondent/complainant nevertheless lodged the FIR against him subsequently.

[4]. The grounds on which quashing is sought actually are disputed questions of fact. This Court is not expected to go into such questions for the purpose of quashing.

[5]. The petitioner is of course at liberty to prove these very grounds on which he relies upon whenever the stage for defence from his side arrives in the trial.

[6]. Dismissed.

29.09.2017

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

2. Whether reportable: Yes/No