

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

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**CRM-M-36694-2017
DATE OF DECISION: 18.12.2017**

BALWINDER SINGH AND ANOTHER

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. N.K. Chopra, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Kanisth Ganeriwala, Asstt. A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Bhupinder Ghai, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.79 dated 02.09.2017 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Bassi Pathana.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that allegations against the petitioners in the FIR, which has been lodged by their brother, are that they along with other brothers, had excluded the complainant from his 1/6th share of the land while entering mutation on 19.01.2009. He further states that possession of the disputed land is still with the complainant.

This Court, by the order dated 21.11.2017, had directed the petitioners to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of their arrest, they were to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the

Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Avtar Singh, states that the petitioners have joined investigation and are not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioners and keeping in view the fact that the petitioners have joined investigation, the order dated 21.11.2017 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute.

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

The petition stands disposed of.

18.12.2017

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

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