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

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Date of Decision:27.10.2017

Resham Bhatti

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE INDERJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Munish Bhardwaj, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

INDERJIT SINGH, J.

Petitioner-Resham Bhatti has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.120 dated 06.09.2017, registered at Police Station Bilga, Jalandhar Rural, under Sections 370, 420 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code and Section 13 of the Punjab Anti-Human Smuggling Act, 2012.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner and have gone through the record.

From the record, I find that FIR, in the present case, has been got registered by Malkiat Ram whose wife, Paramjit Kaur, was sent to Saudi Arabia by the petitioner-accused. It is mentioned in the FIR that wife of the complainant told Naresh Kumar, one of her relatives, that when she asked for her salary, then owner of the house where she was working, told her that Resham Bhatti (present petitioner) has sold her for 18000 Dinars. It is also

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mentioned in the FIR that the present petitioner conspired to send the wife of complainant to Saudi Arabia and sold her there and committed fraud with him.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case; in view of nature and gravity of the offence and further that the petitioner is required for custodial interrogation, I do not find it a fit case where the petitioner is entitled to the benefit of anticipatory bail.

Therefore, finding no merit in the present petition, the same is dismissed.

27.10.2017
parveen kumar

(INDERJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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