

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

CRM-M-39633 of 2017(O&M)

Date of Decision:16.04.2018

Alok Kumar

.....Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr.B.S.Rathee, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms.Jaspreet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

This order shall dispose of this instant petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.41, dated 10.03.2016 under Sections 420, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Mantiana, District Hoshiarpur (Punjab).

Briefly noticed that FIR was registered on the allegations that the complainant, namely, Bagicha Ram has been duped of a sum of Rs.26 lacs that he had received towards retiral benefits on the pretext of being furnished handsome returns.

Insofar as the present petitioner is concerned, the allegations are that an employee, namely, Baljinder Singh of the firm 'Flying Edge' has duped the complainant of a sum of Rs. 4 lacs. Present petitioner was alleged to be the Director of such firm.

Counsel for the petitioner argues that even as per the version of the complainant there was no inducement on the part of the petitioner to part with his retiral benefits in any event. As per the orders passed by this Court, the amount of Rs. 4 lacs has been deposited by the petitioner before the trial Court.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from ASI Satwinder Singh informs the Court that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above, prayer made in the instant petition is accepted.

Order dated 30.10.2017 passed by this Court, is made absolute.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

16.04.2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No