

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-2158-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 15.2.2019

Parveen Kumar and another

....Petitioners

vs.

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present: Mr. Amandeep Saini, Advocate for
Mr. M.L.Saini , Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Senior DAG, Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioners in case FIR No. 157 dated 15.12.2018 registered under Sections 406 and 420 IPC, PS Anandpur Sahib, District Rupnagar.

On 18.1.2019 the following order was passed :-

“Heard. The learned counsel for petitioners contends that money was given on interest. It was a financial transaction which has been given colour of criminal case.

Notice of motion.

On behalf of State, Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG Punjab, accepts notice. Copy of petition be supplied to learned State counsel during course of day. Reply be filed before next date of hearing.

Adjourned to 15.2.2019.

In the meanwhile, petitioners are directed to join

investigation and disclose all facts to police. Let police verify said facts. In the event of their arrest, petitioners will be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of Arresting Officer, subject to compliance of conditions contained in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

Today counsel for the petitioners has stated that the petitioners have joined the investigation.

Learned Senior DAG on instructions from ASI Bahadur Singh has accepted these factual assertions and stated that they are no more required for custodial interrogation.

In the circumstances, keeping in view the entire conspectus of facts, without going into the merits of the case, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioners.

Petition is allowed. Interim order dated 18.1.2019 is made absolute.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

15.2.2019
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No