

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

**CRM-M-7331-2020**  
**Date of decision: 25.02.2020**

**Jasbir Singh and another**

**...Petitioners**

**Versus**

**State of Punjab**

**...Respondent**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

Present:- Mr. S. K. Choudhary, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. M. S. Nagra, AAG, Punjab.

**ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)**

The petitioners pray for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No. 79 dated 21.11.2019, under Sections 420 and 34 of the IPC, registered at Police Station Qila Lal Singh, District Batala.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that even as per allegations in the FIR, the alleged payment made by the complainant is disputed.

Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that the petitioners have filed a suit for permanent injunction against the complainant from recovering the amount of Rs. 1,50,000/-, however, just to their *bona fide*, they are ready to deposit a sum of Rs. 50,000/- with the Illaqua Magistrate, subject to the final outcome of the case.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Baljeet Singh, has not disputed the factual position.

In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and the petitioners are granted concession of anticipatory bail, subject to the

conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and in case the petitioners are required for any investigation, they will appear before the Investigating Officer and join investigation on being served with a written notice in this regard.

However, this will be subject to deposit of a sum of Rs. 50,000/- by the petitioners with the Illaqua Magistrate within a period 30 days from today and the amount so deposited shall be kept in an FDR, subject to final outcome of the case and without any prejudice to the right of defence of the petitioners.

25.02.2020

*Waseem Ansari*

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)  
JUDGE

*Whether speaking/reasoned*

*Yes/No*

*Whether reportable*

*Yes/No*