

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

**CRM-M-16053-2020
Date of decision: 23.11.2020**

Amarpreet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Veneet Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No. 39 dated 05.03.2020, registered under Sections 420/467/468/469/471 of the IPC at Police Station Civil Lines Batala, District Gurdaspur.

The operative part of the order dated 22.06.2020, vide which the petitioner has been granted interim bail, is reproduced below:

“Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged sale transaction of a tractor took place on 21.07.2014 when three persons, namely, Randhir Singh, Makhtool Singh and Kuldeep Singh visited the complainant's agency. It is pointed out that approximately 50% price of the vehicle was paid and the rest was agreed to be paid after some time. It is pointed out by Mr. Sharma that the vehicle was registered in the name of one Jasbir Singh on the basis of a bill issued by Kuldeep Singh, father of the petitioner who earlier used to run a similar agency. Learned counsel contends that in the said transaction, the petitioner has no role and therefore, in these facts his custodial interrogation may not be required.

Notice of motion for 25.09.2020.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, in pursuance to the order dated 22.06.2020, has already appeared before the SHO/Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from SI Amritpal Singh, has not disputed the factual position and submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no more required for any further investigation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 22.06.2020, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

23.11.2020

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No