

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

204)

CRM-M-16507 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 30.10.2020

Sarabjit Kaur Bhatti and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH

Present:- Mr. Pushpinder Kaushal, Advocate, for the petitioners.
Mr. Deepak Bhardwaj, DAG, Haryana.

Amol Rattan Singh, J. (Oral)

All the cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

By this petition, filed under the provisions of Section 438 of the Cr.P.C., the petitioners seek the concession of 'anticipatory bail' upon FIR no.49, dated 04.02.2020, having been registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Sirsa, alleging therein the commission of offences punishable under Sections 420 and 406 of the IPC.

On 12.10.2020, the following order had been recorded:-

“All cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioner no. 3 has made a deposit in terms of the previous orders. Learned State counsel seeks time to confirm that fact.

On his request, adjourned to 30.10.2020.

Interim order to continue, till the next date of hearing.”

Learned State counsel on instructions from a police official

submits that the entire amount of Rs.5 lacs as was ordered to be deposited, vide the order dated 25.06.2020, has been deposited, with the last amount being Rs.1,68,000/-, deposited on September 10, 2020.

That being so, with the petition qua petitioners no.1 and 2 already having been allowed by a coordinate Bench vide an order dated September 01, 2020 and it having remained pending qua petitioner no.3 only due to non-deposit of his share of Rs.5 lacs, this petition is allowed, with the order dated 25.06.2020, granting him interim bail, made absolute on the same terms and conditions.

30.10.2020
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(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking: Yes
Whether reportable: No