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

**CRM-M No.40220 of 2017  
Date of Decision: 10.02.2020**

**Jagjit Singh**

**.....Petitioner**

**Vs**

**State of Punjab**

**.....Respondent**

**CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH***

Present: Ms. Jasneet Mehra, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Veneet Sharma, Advocate

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**RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)**

Petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.155 dated 17.05.2017 registered under Sections 406, 448 IPC at Police Station "A" Division, Amritsar, Amritsar City.

Allegations are that the complainant inducted the petitioner in the house in question for a definite period as the petitioner was in process of constructing his adjoining plot at that time. According to the complainant, the possession of the

petitioner became unauthorized when he did not vacate the premises, whereas the petitioner has alleged his title over the suit property owing to some transactions.

At this stage, veracity of allegations and counter allegations cannot be gone into. Parties would be at liberty to establish their case during trial.

Vide order dated 10.01.2018, interim order was passed. In compliance of the order dated 10.01.2018, petitioner has already joined the investigation.

This fact has been admitted by learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Virkam Singh.

Learned counsel for the complainant, however, opposed the petition on the ground that the petitioner is a cheat. He has been declared proclaimed offender in the proceedings under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act and there are two criminal cases pending against the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in one of the criminal case, the parties have entered into compromise and in second case, petitioner is on bail.

Be that as it may, since the petitioner has joined the investigation, therefore, I deem it appropriate to make the order dated 10.01.2018 absolute. However, petitioner shall join the

investigation as and when required to do so. Petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

10.02.2020  
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(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)  
JUDGE

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | Yes/No |