

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

**CRM-M No. 52325 of 2019
Decided on: 04.03.2020**

Baldev Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. G.S. Kaura, 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.0247 dated 12.10.2019 registered under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120 IPC at Police Station Civil Lines, Police Commissionerate Amritsar, District Amritsar.

The operative part of the order dated 09.12.2019, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“...Counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner is not the beneficiary nor the signatory of the agreement to sell and he is only a witness of the agreement to sell. It is further argued that as per the allegations in the FIR, the entire amount was paid to one Ravi Kumar...”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 09.12.2019, the petitioner has appeared before the Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Nirmal Singh, has not disputed the aforesaid fact and submits that the petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, this petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 09.12.2019 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No