

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

**201-1**

**CRM-M-3768-2020  
Date of Decision:19.03.2021**

**NOHAR CHAND AND ANR**

**...PETITIONERS**

**VERSUS**

**STATE OF PUNJAB**

**...RESPONDENT**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL**

Present: Mr. Sanjeev Malik, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gurvinder Singh Sandhu, Advocate for the complainant.

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**SUVIR SEHGAL, J.(ORAL)**

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to Covid-19 pandemic.

This is the second petition filed under Section 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, the petitioners seek anticipatory bail in case FIR No.157 dated 01.12.2019, registered under Sections 420, 406, 506, 120-B IPC, 1860, at Police Station Moonak, District Sangrur.

Vide order dated 27.05.2020 passed by this Court, the petitioners were released on interim bail and were directed to join investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Balvir Singh states that the petitioners have joined the investigation and they are no longer required for custodial interrogation. He has further instructions to state that there is no other criminal case pending against the petitioners.

Counsel for the complainant submits that the entire balance payment has been received by the complainant from the petitioners and nothing remains due.

In view of the said facts, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 27.05.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

19.03.2021  
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(SUVIR SEHGAL)  
JUDGE

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| Whether Speaking/Reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |