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

**CRM-M-2284-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 17.01.2022**

Narinder Pal Singh and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Present: Ms. Shivya Sehgal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Randhir Singh Thind, DAG, Punjab.

Through Video Conferencing

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI, J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that in the present case the petitioners were granted interim anticipatory bail by this Court vide order dated 17.01.2020 and the matter was thereafter sent to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court.

Learned counsel has further submitted that before the Mediator, the matter has been settled and compromised between the parties before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court as the matter pertains to Sections 420, 120-B of the IPC, which was pertaining to dispute regarding agreement to sell and was purely civil in nature. He has also submitted that in pursuance of the interim order passed by this Court, the petitioners have already joined investigation and they are fully cooperating with the

investigation process and now the matter has been settled through Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court, the interim orders passed by this Court on 17.01.2020 may be made absolute.

At this stage, Mr. Randhir Singh Thind, learned Deputy Advocate General, Punjab has stated on instructions from A.S.I. Dalbir Singh that it is correct that the petitioners have joined investigation in pursuance of the orders passed by this Court and have fully cooperated with the investigation process and in view of the settlement arrived at between the parties before the Mediator of this Court, the custodial interrogation of the petitioners is not required.

In view of the aforesaid submissions, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 17.01.2020 is hereby made absolute.

17.01.2022
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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
2. Whether reportable: Yes/No