

CRM-M-13879 of 2022

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 2nd April, 2022

Amandeep Singh and others

Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and another

Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. A. S. Nirmaan, Advocate for the petitioners.
Mr. Amit Mehta, Senior DAG, Punjab.
Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate for the complainant.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (Oral):

The petitioners are before this court seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 295 dated 22.12.2021, under Sections 420, 406 and 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Ranjit Avenue, District Amritsar.

As per the allegations, the petitioners ostensibly received payment from the complainant on the pretext of sending him abroad. Neither he was sent abroad nor money was returned. FIR was got registered. However, in the intervening period, the parties have compromised the matter.

Learned counsel for the complainant admits the factum of compromise and has no objection if anticipatory bail is granted.

In view of the statement made by learned counsel for the complainant, learned counsel for the State has no reasonable ground to oppose the prayer for grant of pre-arrest bail.

Without commenting on the merits of the case or on compromise, having conspectus of the facts, the petitioners are granted anticipatory bail subject to their joining investigation within ten days. In

the event of arrest, the petitioners shall be released on bail subject to their furnishing adequate bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer. They are directed to join the investigation as and when called for. They shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

In case of failure of the petitioners to join the investigation, the State would be at liberty for filing an application for re-calling the order.

The petition stands disposed of.

[AVNEESH JHINGAN]
JUDGE

2nd April, 2022
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| 1. Whether speaking/ reasoned | : | Yes /No |
| 2. Whether reportable | : | Yes /No |