

**2023:PHHC:055020**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA**  
**AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRM-M-234-2023**  
**DECIDED ON: 19.04.2023**

**BACHITTER SINGH****.....PETITIONER**

**VERSUS**

**STATE OF PUNJAB****.....RESPONDENT****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANDEEP MOUDGIL.**

Present: Mr. Harmeet Singh Oberoi, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mohit Chaudhary, AAG, Punjab.

Ms. Preety Arya, Advocate  
for the complainant.

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**SANDEEP MOUDGIL, J (ORAL)**

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that now the matter has been settled in the instant petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C., wherein the prayer for grant of regular bail in FIR No.0053, dated 02.06.2021 under Sections 420 IPC and Section 120-B IPC (added later on), registered at Police Station Sadar Banga, District Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar.

Primarily the allegations involved in the instant case is that an amount of Rs.40,00,000/- was charged by the petitioner, who is working as an alleged agent alongwith Kaka Singh and Harshdeep Singh son-in-law of the petitioner from the husband of the complainant to send him abroad and on that account the instant FIR was got registered.

Learned State counsel has produced custody certificate, according to which the petitioner has suffered 07 months and 02 days in custody and

according to the said certificate, he is not involved in any other case, meaning thereby he is not a habitual offender.

Ms. Preety Arya, Advocate, who is present in the Court has put in appearance on behalf of complainant and states that she will have no objection, if the petitioner is released on bail, since the issues involved herein has been settled and an amount of Rs. 22,00,000/- has already been paid by two separate cheques in the favour of the complainant.

In the light of the aforesaid fact, this Court deems it suffice to observe that no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars wherein the parties have settled the matter amicably, which initiated on the account of financial transactions between the parties and rather it would bring both of them at peace and therefore, he is admitted to bail in view of the averments made herein above.

The petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail on furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the concerned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate.

The present petition is, therefore, allowed.

(SANDEEP MOUDGIL)  
JUDGE

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| <i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| <i>Whether reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |