

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

**CRM-M-34712 of 2023
Date of decision: 08.11.2023**

**BALWINDER SINGH ALIAS BALBINDER SINGH
.....PETITIONER**

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHERRESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. L.S. Sidhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Digvijay Nagpal, AAG, Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. Instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.PC for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.112 dated 13.07.2019 for the offence under Section 420 IPC registered at Police Station City 1 Mansa District Mansa.

2. On the last date of hearing/on 20.07.2023, while noticing the following submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioners, this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioners and asked him/her/them to join investigation:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner, at the outset, submits that it was essentially an inter se family dispute between the petitioner and his brother. Learned counsel further submits that the suit for specific performance, which had been instituted by him against the complainant, stands withdrawn and the matter thus, amicably settled between the parties vide compromise Annexure P7. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner is ready and willing to join investigation and will cooperate with the investigating agency.”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of order dated 20.07.2023, the petitioners have joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel does not dispute the factum of the petitioners having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He, on further instructions, submits that the petitioner is not required for further investigation much less for his custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 20.07.2023, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

08.11.2023
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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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