

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-35252-2023

Date of decision: 03.10.2023

Simrandeep Singh and another

....Petitioners

V/s

State of Haryana

....Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA**

Present: Ms. Amanpreet, Advocate, for  
Mr. H.S. Oberoi, Advocate, for the petitioners.  
Mr. P.K. Aggarwal, DAG, Haryana.

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**DEEPAK GUPTA, J. (Oral)**

On 24.07.2023, the following order was passed by this Court:-

“Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C, has been made for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.199 dated 20.03.2023 registered under Sections 406/420/506 IPC at Police Station Chandni Bagh, District Panipat.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has drawn attention towards the contents of the FIR as per which as many as eight persons lodged this FIR against petitioners and two others.

As per the FIR, accused Arvinder Kaur is the proprietor of M/s Simardeep Textile. The two petitioners are the sons of the said Arvinder Kaur. It is alleged that petitioners and two others took goods on credit worth crores of rupees from the complainants and did not pay the money. They issued cheques to everyone but they bounced. Complainants have already filed complaints under Section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioners have nothing to do with the proprietor firm i.e. M/s Simardeep Textile of which accused Arvinder Kaur is the proprietor. Besides, this is purely a civil dispute which has been given the criminal colour by lodging this FIR.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Parveen Kumar Aggarwal, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent- State. Copy of the petition be supplied to him during course of the day.

Adjourned to 03.10.2023, for filing status report.

In the meantime, in case of their arrest, the petitioners shall be released on interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/ Investigating Officer. However, it is further directed that the petitioners shall join the investigation as and when so required by the Investigating Officer. They shall not contact any person associated with the case to dissuade him from the investigation in any manner whatsoever and nor shall leave the country without prior permission of the Court. They shall further comply with the conditions stipulated in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

Status report dated 21.09.2023 has already been filed. As per which in compliance of the order dated 24.07.2023, petitioners have joined the investigation on 07.09.2023 and that their custodial interrogation is no longer required for any investigation.

In view of the aforesaid status report, order dated 24.07.2023 whereby interim anticipatory bail was granted to the petitioners in the FIR in question, is hereby made absolute. However, the petitioners shall continue to join the investigation as and when required by the Investigating Officer and make compliance of the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Disposed of.

**(DEEPAK GUPTA)**  
**JUDGE**

October 03, 2023  
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No