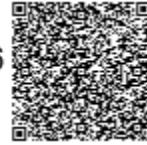


S. No.212

2025:PHHC:166536



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

CRM-M-43664 of 2025

Date of Decision:01.12.2025

Chhinder Kaur and another

.....Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present:- Mr. Umesh Kumar Kanwar, Advocate
for the petitioners.
Mr. Gorav Kathuria, DAG, Punjab
assisted by HC Satpal Singh.
Mr. Kuldip Singh, Advocate for the
complainant.

Yashvir Singh Rathor, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in this petition under Section 482 of Bhartiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 is for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.137 dated 26.09.2024 registered under Sections 420/167/511/120-B IPC at Police Station City Jalalabad, District Fazilka.

2. On 12.08.2025, following order was passed:-

“Petitioners pray for grant of pre-arrest bail in FIR No.137 dated 26.09.2024 registered under Sections 420/167/511/120-B IPC at Police Station Jalalabad, District Fazilka.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the mutation in question in the present case was sanctioned in the year 2019 and was also set aside by the competent authority on 31.05.2023. However, the FIR has been got registered by the complainant on 26.09.2024. He next submits that in the present case, the dispute pertains to inheritance of Late Ujagar Singh, who was the father of the petitioners. Now the petitioners as well as the other family members have raised various claims with regard to the estate left behind by Ujagar Singh. He further contends that the mutation has already been challenged before the competent authority and the parties have already availed their remedies, in accordance with law. Learned counsel next submits that the present case is purely of civil



nature and the police has wrongly registered the FIR in the present case. He also submits that the case is based on documentary evidence, which is already in the possession of police and thus, the custodial interrogation of the petitioners may not be required.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. Ravneet Joshi, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

List on 23.09.2025.

In the meantime, the petitioners are directed to join the investigation. In the event of arrest, they shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of arresting/investigating officer subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C./482 (2) of BNSS, 2023.

3. Today, learned State counsel has informed this Court that the petitioners have joined the investigation, in compliance of the order dated 12.08.2025 and are no longer required for further investigation.
4. In view of the aforesaid, the order dated 12.08.2025, whereby the petitioners were granted interim anticipatory bail, is hereby made absolute. However, they shall continue to join investigation, if and so required by the Investigating Officer.
5. Disposed of.
6. Pending misc application (s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

(Yashvir Singh Rathor)
Judge

December 01, 2025
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Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No