

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

CRM-M No.32968 of 2015 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 05.10.2015

Kanwaljit Kaur @ Kawal

..... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present: Ms. Rakhi Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent along with SI Sohan Lal.

JASWANT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The prayer is for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.117 dated 25.04.2014, under Sections 419, 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, registered with Police Station Civil Lines, District Amritsar (**Annexure P-1**).

As per the allegations, complainant-Ravinder Kaur Kataria was the owner in possession of a plot measuring 500 Square Yards. The main accused Simarjit Kaur and Baldev Singh, a married couple, in collusion with witness-Lakhwider Kumar prepared forged documents and a forged power of attorney wherein the petitioner is alleged to have impersonated the complainant and appeared before the Sub Registrar at the time of preparation of that power of attorney. On the strength of the said power of attorney, Simarjit Kaur and Baldev Singh have sold the property.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner contends that petitioner is in custody since 07.07.2015 and investigations qua her over. She further submits that she is not

the main beneficiary of the alleged offence. There is no other case pending against the petitioner.

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from S.I. Mohan Lal, concedes that the challan has been presented and there is no other case pending against the petitioner.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case, keeping in view the fact that the challan has been presented and the trial is not likely to be concluded in near future and no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner in custody, this Court finds that petitioner/accused deserves the concession of regular bail and as such she is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of CJM/Duty Magistrate, Amritsar.

Disposed of.

October 05, 2015

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(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE