

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-33197-2015 (O & M)
Date of decision:18.12.2015

Karamjit Kaur ...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Robin Bansal, Advocate,
for Mr. Gaurav Rana, Advocate,
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Ankur Jain, AAG, Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J. (oral)

This is a petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking pre-arrest bail to petitioner in a case registered against him vide FIR No.117 dated 27.12.2014 under Sections 420/120-B IPC, at Police Station Ahmedgarh, District Sangrur.

According to learned counsel for the petitioner, a compromise has been arrived at between the parties. Thus, the petitioner is entitled to concession of anticipatory bail.

Learned State counsel, however, submits that no information regarding compromise is available with the investigating agency. Allegations against the petitioner are serious. Recovery of ₹15 lac has to be effected from the petitioner.

FIR was lodged by Hardeep Singh. He alleged that he was roped in by the accused for marrying her daughter holding out that she was permanent resident of Canada. ₹30 lac was demanded from him. Out of this amount, ₹15 lac was paid in cash to the petitioner,

₹5 lac was deposited in the account of Amandeep Kaur-daughter of the petitioner, rest ₹10 lac was paid to husband of the petitioner and co-accused. It later transpired that daughter of the petitioner did not have permanent residency of Canada. Accused did not return money. They, thus, cheated the complainant. Huge amount taken on pretext of settling the complainant in Canada was misappropriated by the accused.

Keeping in view the nature of allegations, I am of the considered view that petitioner is not entitled to concession of pre-arrest bail.

Dismissed.

18.12.2015
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(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE