

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

CRM-M No.906 of 2015

Date of Decision:-22.09.2015

Harjot Kaur.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Bipan Ghai, Senior Advocate assisted by
Mr. Paras Talwar, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab
along with Inspector Pal Singh.

Mr. Gaurav Gupta, Advocate for the Complainant.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.PC to the petitioner-Harjot Kaur in case FIR No.177 dated 15.12.2014 for offence punishable under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 & 120-B of Indian Penal Code and Section 67/71/72 of Information Technology Act, 2000 registered with Police Station City Malout, District Sri Mukatsar Sahib.

As per the allegations the petitioner while being employed as Deputy Branch Manager with the Axis Bank has misused the passwords of other employees as well and tampered with the accounts of the customers and thereby cheated and embezzled the bank for an amount of Rs.1.87 crores.

Detailed reply has been filed by way of affidavit of Jaswant Singh, DSP, Sri Muktsar Sahib detailing the deeds of the petitioner.

After hearing learned Counsel for the parties, it is apparent that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is necessary for having a meaningful and complete investigation.

In view of the above, no ground for grant of anticipatory bail is made out, which is hereby dismissed.

(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE

September 22, 2015
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