

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

CRM-M No.24584 of 2017
Date of Decision:- 08.09.2017

Monika Malik

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Gurvinder Singh Gill

Present:- Mr. Mandeep S. Sachdev, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Garg Dhuriwala, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Gurvinder Singh Gill, J.

The petitioner is facing trial in respect of offences punishable under Sections 120-B, 420, 406, 364, 307, 342 and 506 IPC.

The trial Court framed charges against the accused on 16.11.2015. The petitioner was granted regular bail by co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 10.07.2015. Thereafter, vide order dated 22.12.2015 a rectification in the bail order was made to the effect that the petitioner is entitled to bail in respect of offence under Section 307 IPC as well. The petitioner thereafter was released on bail and had been appearing regularly before the trial Court. Subsequently, when it was pointed to the trial Court that the petitioner had not been granted bail in respect of offence under Section 364 IPC, the trial Court issued non bailable warrants.

The petitioner filed the present petition seeking anticipatory bail, wherein, vide order dated 21.7.2017, she was directed to appear before the trial Court.

The learned counsel appearing for the State has submitted that the petitioner has since appeared before the trial Court on 02.09.2017 and furnished bail bonds.

In view of the aforesaid position, when the petitioner had already been appearing before the trial Court, regularly, in pursuance of the earlier bail orders, it is ordered that the earlier bail orders shall enure offence under Section 364 IPC as well.

The petition stands accepted accordingly.

September 08, 2017
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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No