

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

CRM-M-54235-2018
Date of decision: 07.12.2018

Dalbir Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. H. P. S. Ghuman, Advocate
for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition, filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 0099 dated 22.10.2018, registered under Sections 420, 467, 468 and 120-B of the IPC, at Police Station Bhadson, Tehsil Nabha, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the anticipatory bail application of the petitioner is pending before the Additional Sessions Judge, Patiala since 31.10.2018 and it has been adjourned for more than 4 – 5 times, however, no interim protection has been given.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that on the last date of hearing i.e. 05.12.2018, again the case has been adjourned for 12.12.2018 and the husband of the petitioner, namely Bhinder Singh, has already been granted concession of interim anticipatory bail, vide order dated 23.10.2018 and the said application is also pending.

After hearing learned counsel for the petitioner, this petition is disposed of with a direction to Additional Sessions Judge, Patiala to dispose

of the anticipatory bail application of the petitioner within a period of 15 days from the date of receiving a certified copy of this order.

Till such time, in the event of arrest, the petitioner be released on interim bail subject to her furnishing personal bonds and surety to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions as provided under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

December 07, 2018

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No