

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

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CRM-M-18751-2019

DATE OF DECISION: 20.09.2019

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... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Lekh Raj Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Jaswinder Singh, Advocate for the complainant.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.16 dated 02.02.2019, under Sections 406, 420 & 120-B IPC and Section 24 of Immigration Act, 1983, registered at Police Station Division No.7, Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner are that she along with her husband had taken money from the complainant for sending his son abroad but he had not been sent abroad. He, however, contends that the matter has now been compromised and the petitioner shall be making payment in terms of the compromise with the complainant. He also contends that the petitioner is in custody for over 7 months.

Learned counsel for the complainant states that the matter has indeed been compromised. He has furnished the copy of the compromise which is taken on record.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner, especially when the petitioner is in custody for over 7 months, the matter has been compromised and the conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on her furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

20.09.2019

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No