

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

**CRM M-44773-2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 14.01.2019**

Rajni alias Rajni Bala

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present : Mr. Sartaj Singh Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramdeep Partap Singh, DAG, Punjab.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has preferred the instant petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.24 dated 23.08.2018, registered under Sections 365, 366, 368, 376, 417, 506, 120-B IPC and Sections 16 and 20 of the Bonded Labour (Abolition) System Act, 1976, at Police Station Narot Jaimal Singh, District Pathankot.

The allegation against the petitioner is that she has hatched a criminal conspiracy with her brother Rakesh Kumar, who took the prosecutrix with him and committed rape.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Ramesh Kumar, has stated that the petitioner has joined and she is no more required for custodial interrogation.

A bare perusal of the FIR and copy of marriage certificate (Annexures P-1 and P-2) transpires that the prosecutrix is married with Rakesh Kumar, brother of the petitioner.

In the circumstances, without going into the merits of the case,

I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the present case.

Resultantly, the interim order dated 11.10.2018 is made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands allowed.

14.01.2019
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(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
<i>Whether Reportable :</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>