

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

**CRM-M No.28880 of 2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 14.08.2019**

Pushpa Rani

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- None for the petitioner.

H.C. Jagjiwan Singh for the respondent/State.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.127 dated 01.06.2019, under Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Sahnewal, District Police Commissionerate Ludhiana.

This Court, while issuing notice of motion on 10.07.2019, passed the following order:-

“ Contends that petitioner is working as Safai Sevika in the School for the last 10 years and belongs to Scheduled Castes community. Also contends that present FIR is a counter blast to the complaint made by the petitioner on 25.07.2018 (P-2) against one Amandeep Singh Giaspura @ Amna.

Notice of motion for 14.08.2019.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of her arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit her to interim bail in the present case till the next date of hearing on her furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner is also directed to abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”

Today, H.C. Jagjiwan Singh, who is present in the Court, submits that petitioner has joined the investigation in terms of order dated 10.07.2019 and her custodial interrogation is not required.

In view of above, interim order dated 10.07.2019 is made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the present petition stands disposed off.

It is made clear that the petitioner shall fully co-operate with the Investigating Officer as and when called for further investigation.

The observations may not be considered as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

August 14, 2019

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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No