

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

CRM-M-9666 of 2020

DECIDED ON: 6th JULY, 2021

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.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

State of Punjab

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. H.S. Brar, Senior Advocate with
Ms. Anshikha Sharma, Advocate for petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

The matter is taken up for hearing through video conference due to COVID-19 situation.

This petition is filed for grant of anticipatory bail in case of FIR No.85 dated 28.3.2019 under Sections 409, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B IPC and Section 66 of IT Act, later on added Section 13(1)(2) of the PC Act, registered at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar.

This Court vide order dated 5th March 2020, granted interim bail subject to joining investigation. The order is reproduced below:

"Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner was on bail under Penal offences. There is subsequent enlargement of offences by way of addition of offences under Prevention of Corruption Act.

Notice of motion for 12.05.2020.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to appear before the SHO/Investigating Officer to join investigation on 12.03.2020 at 11.00 a.m. and in the event of her arrest, she shall be enlarged on *ad interim* bail, subject to her furnishing requisite bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting Officer.

However, petitioner shall abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C."

Learned State counsel on instructions from DSP Harwinder Pal submits that the petitioner has joined investigation and his custodial interrogation is not required.

As no custodial interrogation is needed, the interim bail granted on 5th March, 2020 is made absolute.

Disposed of accordingly.

6th JULY, 2021

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**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether reportable *Yes/No*