

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

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CRM-M-30627-2021

Date of decision: 03.11.2021

PRATIBHA GUPTA ALIAS PREETI GUPTA

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. R.S. Randhawa, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through the instant petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C., the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 147 dated 05.09.2019 registered under Section 420 IPC, Section 120-B IPC was added later on, at Police Station P.A.U District Ludhiana.

Vide order dated 03.08.2021 passed by this Court, *ad interim* anticipatory bail was granted to the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to the order dated 03.08.2021 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Gurmeet Singh, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation. He further submits that since the petitioner has joined the investigation there is no need to file reply.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of

the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 03.08.2021 granting *ad interim* anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

03.11.2021
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(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No