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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-41301-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 06.01.2021

Rekha Rani

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. P.S. Jammu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Kumar Grewal, DAG, Haryana.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail in FIR No.262 dated 24.07.2020 under Sections 489A, 489B, 489C, 489D IPC, registered at Police Station City Mandi Dabwali, District Sirsa.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per allegations in the FIR, the police party, on receiving a secret information that the petitioner Rekha Rani along with Ravinder Singh @ Babbi and Gagandeep are preparing fake currency notes with printer scanner and are using the same as currency

notes, a raid was conducted in house of the petitioner. On reaching there, a young person was seen, who was apprehended and disclosed his identity as Gagandeep. From him, two notes of denomination of Rs.500/- were recovered. On inquiry, he disclosed that his accomplice Ravinder Singh @ Babbi and petitioner Rekha Rani are preparing fake currency notes. When the police party entered the house, they found one coloured printer scanner installed in a room, on which a young boy and a lady were doing printing. On inquiry, they disclosed their names as Ravinder Singh @ Babbi and petitioner Rekha Rani and 25 currency notes of Rs.2,000/- were recovered. It is further submitted that the petitioner is a lady having two minor children and is in custody since 24.07.2020. It is also submitted that investigation is complete; challan stands presented, however, till date, charges are not framed and it will take long time in conclusion of the trial and one co-accused of the petitioner namely Gagandeep has already been granted the concession of regular bail vide order dated 27.10.2020 passed in CRM-M-28963-2020.

Learned State counsel has, however, submitted that the petitioner is involved in one another case under NDPS Act, in which, she is on bail.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, without commenting upon merits of the case and considering the fact that the petitioner, who is having two minor children, is in custody since 24.07.2020 and also in view of the fact that charges are yet to be framed and it will take some time in conclusion of the trial, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to

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be released on regular bail subject to furnishing her bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

Petition is disposed of.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No