

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

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CRM-M-9155-2022

Date of Decision: 04.03.2022

Balwinder Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail to the petitioner in criminal complaint bearing No. NACT/1343/2019 dated 01.03.2019, under Section 138 Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 pending in the Court of Judicial Magistrate First Class, Amritsar.

A criminal complaint No. NACT/1343/2019 dated 01.03.2019 has been instituted against the petitioner by respondent No.2 for dishonor of a cheque amounting to Rs. 3,50,000/-. On receipt of summons in the said case the petitioner appeared before learned trial Court on 11.09.2021 and was released on bail. The case was adjourned to 25.10.2021, but the petitioner had wrongly noted the date as 25.01.2022. As the petitioner did not appear on 25.10.2021, the bail of the petitioner was cancelled and non bailable warrants were issued against her for 28.03.2022.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that it was never the intention of the petitioner to evade the process of law. He states

that the petitioner is ready to appear before learned trial Court and face trial.

Taking into account the facts of the present case, this petition is disposed of with the observation that the petitioner may appear before the learned trial Court on or before 28.03.2022. On her doing so, she shall be released on interim bail by the trial Court subject to her furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to its satisfaction.

This shall subject to deposit an amount of Rs.10,000/- (ten thousand only) by the petitioner with the Director PGIMER, Chandigarh Poor Patient Welfare Fund.

She shall also file an undertaking to continue appearing before the Court as and when required apart from following all the terms and conditions fixed in this respect.

[HARINDER SINGH SIDHU]
JUDGE

March 04, 2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable?

Yes/no
Yes/no