

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-16250-2022

Date of Decision: 4.5.2022

Harbans Kaur alias Banso and another

....Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Harmanpreet S. Sehgal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J.

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.42 dated 2.3.2022 registered for the offences punishable under Sections 420, 384, 120-B IPC at Police Station Giddarbaha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

FIR in the present case was registered on the basis of the statement of complainant-Amar Singh in which he alleged that the present petitioner and other accused persons took money from him on the pretext of getting him married with one Baljit Kaur. However, later on, the complainant came to know that the accused persons in connivance with aforesaid Baljit Kaur had formed a gang to cheat people on the pretext of arranging marriages.

Both the petitioners who are ladies, were got arrested on 2.3.2022. After completion of investigation, the police has already presented

the challan against the petitioners and other accused persons. The allegations of fraud would be unfolded only during the trial. It will take time for completion of the trial. Thus, no useful purpose is going to be served by keeping the petitioners in custody for any longer period.

In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the petitioners are ordered to be released on bail subject to their furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

May 4, 2022

Paritosh Kumar

**(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No