

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

CRM-M-36318-2021

Date of decision-02.03.2022

Bhupinder Kaur

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Atul Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramdeep Partap Singh, DAG, Punjab.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J.

Petitioner has approached this Court under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure to seek anticipatory bail in case FIR No.151 dated 19.07.2021 under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station Samrala, District Ludhiana, who apprehends her arrest at the hands of Police.

On 03.09.2021, this Court had passed the following order:-

*“Learned counsel contends that Balvir Singh during his life time had bequeathed his property through a Will dated 05.07.2020 in favour of his sister (petitioner), as he was having strained relations with his children and the wife, who were residing in Canada. According to him, during his life time, the testator had filed a suit against his children and injunction was granted in his favour and apart from it, his marriage with his wife, namely, Baljit Kaur was dissolved through a decree dated 21.01.2016. According to him, this background clearly indicates that the brother of the petitioner was abandoned by rest of the family members, who was being taken care of by the petitioner. According to him, the petitioner has been falsely implicated and in the given facts, her custodial interrogation may not be necessary.
Notice of motion for 19.01.2022.*

Meanwhile, the petitioner shall join the investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be admitted to interim bail on her furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that in compliance of the above order, the petitioner associated herself in the investigation and cooperated during interrogation.

Learned State counsel who is instructed by SI Joginder Singh states that indeed the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation for the time being.

Considering above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 03.09.2021 is made absolute.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

02.03.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No