

122 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-12960-2023
Decided on : 16.03.2023

Harpal Kaur

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate for
Mr. A.S.Barnala, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Manjari Nehru Kaul, J.(Oral)

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.PC for quashing of the order dated 16.01.2023 vide which the bail bonds and surety bonds of the petitioner have been forfeited in case FIR No.14 dated 18.01.2021 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 IPC registered at Police Station City-1, Sangrur District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was on bail in the FIR in question and had been regularly appearing before the trial Court, however, on 16.01.2023 she could not appear before the Court concerned as she had noted the wrong date of hearing i.e. 16.03.2023. Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner is ready to appear and join proceedings before the trial Court.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. Ramdeep Pratap Singh, Sr. DAG,

Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

In view of the submissions made above, the petition is disposed of with directions to the petitioner to appear and surrender before the trial Court on or before 23.03.2023 and move appropriate application for grant of bail. Till then no coercive steps be taken against the petitioner. The trial Court on such application being moved shall decide it expeditiously in accordance with law. It is, however, made clear that in case the petitioner fails to appear and surrender before the Court below within the above stipulated time period, then this order shall be of no avail to her.

16.03.2023
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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable :	Yes/No