

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-38090-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision: 16.01.2023

SUMAN RANI

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Advocate for
Ms. Riffi Birla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Manipal Singh Atwal, DAG Punjab.

AMAN CHAUDHARY. J.

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.231 dated 12.11.2020, under Section 365 of IPC (later on added Sections 193, 195, 383, 356, 120-B of IPC and Section 66 of IT Act, 2000 and Section 365 of IPC deleted later on) registered at Police Station City Fazilka District Fazilka.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in pursuance of order dated 27.09.2022, of this Court, the petitioner has not only joined investigation but has also fully cooperated with the investigating agency. She further submits that in case the investigating agency requires the petitioner to appear, she shall make herself available without demur.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Beant Singh affirms the factum of joining the investigation by the petitioner and cooperating with the

investigation agency. He also submits that at this stage, the petitioner is not required for further custodial interrogation.

In view of the above and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, anticipatory bail petition filed by the petitioner is allowed and the order dated 27.09.2022 granting interim bail to her, is hereby made absolute, subject to compliance of conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr. P.C

However, it is made clear that if the petitioner fails to join and cooperate with the investigation agency as and when required, the State would be at liberty to move an application for cancellation of the present anticipatory bail granted to her.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

January 16, 2023

M.Kamra/S.Sharma(syr)

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