

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

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CRM-M-47035-2022

Date of decision : 20.02.2023

Liza Bhatti

Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR VERMA

Present: Mr. Rohit Duggal, Advocate for
Mr. Ashok Bhardwaj, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Jaspal Singh Guru, Asstt. A.G., Punjab
for the respondent-State.

ASHOK KUMAR VERMA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.6 dated 08.01.2022 registered under Sections 420 and 409 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 (from which Section 409 of the IPC was deleted and Sections 408 and 120-B of the IPC and Section 66-D of the I.T. Act were added later on) at Police Station City, Rupnagar, District Rupnagar.

Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that in pursuance of order dated 18.10.2022 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above facts, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 18.10.2022 granting interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

20.02.2023

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(ASHOK KUMAR VERMA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No