

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-7664-2024
Date of Decision:22.03.2024

PARAMJIT KAURPetitioner

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJABRespondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Jatin Khurana, Advocate for
Mr. Mandeep Kumar Dhot, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. G.P.S. Bhullar, AAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Rajender Singh

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.(ORAL)

Status report by way of affidavit of Mandeep Singh, PPS,
Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Sunam, District Sangrur has
been filed on behalf of respondent-State. The same is taken on record.

On 14.02.2024, following order was passed:

*“By way of this petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C.,
petitioner prays for pre-arrest bail in a case arising out of FIR No.70
dated 14.12.2023, under Sections 21 and 29 of the NDPS Act (Act
No.61 of 1985), registered at Police Station Cheema, District
Sangrur.*

*The allegations are that 07 grams of heroin was recovered from
the possession of co-accused Kulvir Singh, who in his disclosure
statement nominated the petitioner to be the supplier.*

*Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that petitioner has
been falsely implicated; that she is not involved in any other case and
that she is ready to join the investigation.*

Notice of motion.

Mr. Amandeep Singh, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of

the respondent-State. A copy of paper book be supplied to him during the course of day.

Adjourned to 22.03.2024 for filing status report.

In the meantime, petitioner is directed to join investigation and co-operate in the same. She will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court nor shall make any attempt to contact the complainant of the case or any witness associated with the case. In the event of the arrest of the petitioner, she shall be released on interim bail on her furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. She shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. ”

Today learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Rajender Singh submits that petitioner has since joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

Having regard to the aforesaid facts and circumstances, but without commenting anything further on the merits of the case order dated 14.02.2024 is hereby made absolute, whereby petitioner was granted interim anticipatory bail.

However, the petitioner shall continue to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

22.03.2024
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(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No