



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No. 14235 of 2024 (O&M)  
Date of Decision: 21.05.2024

Priyanka Sharma  
..... Petitioner  
  
Versus  
  
State of Haryana  
..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present: Mr. Kamal Sharma, Advocate, for  
Mr. Amit Arora, Advocate  
for the petitioner.  
  
Mr. Gagandeep Singh Chhina, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana

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HARKESH MANUJA, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner, by way of present petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C., seeks issuance of directions to the trial Court for releasing the FDR No. 146614 dated 30.09.2019, amounting to Rs. 10 lakhs and FDR No.231632 dated 12.12.2019, amounting to Rs. 10 lakhs, deposited before the trial Court in terms of order dated 06.09.2019 (Annexure P-1) passed by this Court in CRM-M-32357-2019 in case FIR No. 963, dated 08.12.2018, under Sections 406, 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B & 506 of IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar Bhiwani, District Bhiwani.

[2] In the present case, at the time of consideration of application for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner, she was directed to deposit a sum of Rs. 20 lakhs in the shape of FDR, however, later on, upon conclusion of investigation, a cancellation report was presented before the Illaqa

Magistrate, which is pending consideration.

[3] Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in the wake of cancellation report submitted by the Investigating Agency, an application has been presented before the trial Court for release of the aforementioned two FDRs. He further points out that the said application was presented before the trial Court in the month of October, 2022, however, the same is pending consideration for the past more than one and half year.

[4] Learned State Counsel does not dispute the aforesaid factual position.

[5] In view of the above, learned trial Court is requested to decide the aforesaid application seeking release of the aforesaid FDRs in accordance with law, preferably within a period one month from today.

[6] **Disposed off** accordingly.

[7] Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed off.

**May 21, 2024**  
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**( HARKESH MANUJA )**  
**JUDGE**

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| <i>Whether Speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| <i>Whether Reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |