



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

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CRM-M-64107-2023

Date of decision: 06.05.2024

Anju Bala Jain and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

The State of Punjab

.....Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL**

Present : Mr. J.P.S. Sandhu, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Navdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab.

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**MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)**

1. The petitioners are seeking the concession of anticipatory bail under Section 438 of the Cr.P.C. in case FIR No.187 dated 07.10.2023 under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Sangrur, District Sangrur.

2. On 05.02.2024, while noticing the following submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioners, this Court had granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioners and asked them to join investigation:-

*“Learned counsel for the petitioners, inter alia, contends that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the case in hand, however, they are ready and willing to join investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.”*



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3. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that in compliance of order dated 05.02.2024, the petitioners have joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Sukhwinder Singh, does not dispute the factum of the petitioners having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. However, he submits that as per allegations levelled in the FIR in question, the petitioners had endeavoured to procure Government jobs on the basis of some forged and fabricated documents.

5. On a pointed query put to the learned State counsel as to whether the petitioners are involved in any other criminal case, he on instruction, has replied in the negative.

6. In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 05.02.2024, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

06.05.2024

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)  
JUDGE

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