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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-64839-2024 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 28.01.2025

ALASKA RAJ

....Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present : Mr. Nitin Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Surender Singh, A.A.G. Haryana.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

1. Mr. Deepak Kohli, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of the complainant to assist the learned State counsel and filed his power of attorney. Same is taken on record.
2. By way of present petition filed under Section 482 Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
384	27.08.2024	406, 420 and 120-B IPC; 24 of the Immigration Act	Pinjore, Panchkula

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in compliance to the order dated 20.12.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such interim bail granted to the petitioner may be confirmed.



4. Learned State counsel, on instructions received from ASI Jagpal has intimated that the petitioner has joined investigation and is no more required for any custodial investigation in this case nor he is required for further investigation.

5. Heard.

6. During the course of hearing on 20.12.2024, the following order was passed:-

“2. It is, inter alia, contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner, who is a house hold lady, aged about 34 years, has been falsely implicated in this case without there being any specific overt act attributed to her. He contends that the alleged amount was never paid to the petitioner nor she has any concern with the same and even as per the FIR lodged by the complainant, the amount in question was allegedly paid to the husband of the petitioner. He contends that the petitioner has no concern with the alleged transaction and has been falsely nominated therein. Hence, the instant petition seeking concession of anticipatory bail.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Ms. Gaganpreet Kaur, DAG, Haryana, present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the State-respondent and prays for time to file the status report/reply in the matter.

5. Adjourned to 16.01.2025.

6. Needful be done well before the date fixed with an advance copy to the counsel opposite.

7. In the meanwhile, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within fifteen days from today and in the event of her arrest, she is ordered to 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 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita 2023 (BNSS).

8. Investigating Officer (concerned) to remain present in Court along with relevant records on the date fixed.”

7. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation



consequent to the order dated 20.12.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 20.12.2024 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS. Further the petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice for such purpose to be served by Investigating Officer of this case upon the petitioner; he will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

8. The petition stands allowed.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

28.01.2025
S.Sharma(syr)

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |