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

CRM-M-18535 of 2014

Date of decision: February 06, 2015

Amit Uppal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and another

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SABINA

Present: Mr. S.K. Beniwal, Advocate for
Mr. P.K. Chauhan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Dimpla Jain, AAG Haryana.

SABINA, J

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.235 dated 21.04.2014, under Sections 323, 406, 498-A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Yamuna Nagar, District Yamuna Nagar.

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by this Court on 27.05.2014:-

“Counsel would inter alia contend that the present petitioner, who is the husband of the complainant had already instituted a divorce petition and the present F.I.R is a mere counter blast to such proceedings. That apart, counsel would submit that the petitioner is ready and willing to return the dowry articles/gifts that had been entrusted to the petitioner as also his family members at the time of marriage and in this regard would even advert to an inventory list that is contained in an application that had been filed before the District & Sessions Judge, Yamuna Nagar in which prayer was for directions to the I.O to take over

the dowry articles.

Notice of motion, returnable for 24.7.2014.

In the meantime, petitioner is directed to join investigation. In the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on interim bail subject to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall join investigation as and when called upon to do so and he shall remain bound by the conditions envisaged under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

Case was referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre vide order dated 14.11.2014. Parties have amicably settled their dispute before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre.

Learned State counsel who is assisted by Assistant Sub Inspector Santokh Singh has submitted that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for further investigation.

Accordingly, interim bail granted by this Court to the petitioner vide order dated 27.05.2014, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**(SABINA)
JUDGE**

February 06, 2015

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