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

**CRM-M No.21484 of 2014
Date of Decision: 12.05.2015**

RAJINDER PAL SINGH DHILLON

.....Petitioner

Vs

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANR

.....Respondents

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH*

Present: Mr. Ranjit Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Arshdeep S. Kler, D.A.G., Punjab.

Ms. Anju Sharma, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

1. *Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment ?*
2. *To be referred to the Reporters or not ?*
3. *Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.65 dated 20.05.2014, under Sections 494/498-A IPC, Police Station Women, Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that marriage in question is second marriage of both petitioner and the complainant.

At the time of second marriage of the complainant on 20.02.2013 there was no divorce taken by the complainant from her earlier husband. Divorce was taken only on 21.03.2013. So is the case with petitioner also.

Petitioner claims dissolution of his first marriage in 2008 by means of Panchyatnama.

Be that as it may this Court does not want to embark upon validity of second marriage at this stage.

Mr. Kler, learned Deputy Advocate General, Punjab on instructions from HC Manjinder Singh states that in pursuance of order dated 10.07.2014, petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the respondent No.2 has vehemently argued that petitioner has not facilitated recovery of gold ornaments.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that initially offence under Section 406 was not incorporated in the FIR. It was added after more than one year of registration of the case.

Without commenting upon anything on merits at this stage and since the petitioner has already joined the investigation and he shall keep on joining the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency, interim order dated 10.07.2014 is made absolute.

Petitions stands disposed of.

May 12, 2015
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(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE