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

CRM-M-33812 of 2013

Date of decision: January 23, 2015

Harish Chandra Lodwal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SABINA

Present: Mr. Karan Pathak, Advocate for
Mr. Gautam Dutt, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Dimple Jain, AAG Haryana.

Mr. R.K. Garg, Advocate
for the complainant.

SABINA, J

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.618 dated 09.09.2013, under Sections 498-A, 323, 506, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Sadar Gurgaon, District Gurgaon.

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by this Court on 07.10.2013:-

“Contends that marriage was performed on 08.03.2000 i.e., more than 13 years ago and that there are two grown-up children. It is further submitted that complainant alongwith the minor children is residing in a rented house and even rent is being paid by the petitioner. It is further submitted that petitioner is ready to keep complainant and minor children in the matrimonial home. It is also contended that the only

grievance of complainant is that he has sold the house and however, it is contended that he had to sell the house to clear the debt of ₹90,00,000/-.

Notice of motion to Advocate General, Haryana for 11.11.2013.

However, in the meantime, petitioner is directed to join the investigation and in case of his arrest, he shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the arresting officer subject to compliance of conditions specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”

Case was referred to Mediation and Conciliation Center but no settlement could be arrived at between the parties.

Learned State counsel who is assisted by Assistant Sub Inspector Lakhpat Rai 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 07.10.2013, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**(SABINA)
JUDGE**

January 23, 2015
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