

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.

CRM M-38156 of 2014

Date of Decision: February 11, 2015

Jaspal Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI.

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Present:- Mr. Saurabh Bhardwaj, Advocate for
Mr. Sushil Gautam, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. C.S. Brar, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate.

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M.M.S. BEDI, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner seeks the concession of pre-arrest bail in a case registered at the instance of Major Singh alleging that his daughter Kamaljit Kaur was married to petitioner in 2012. She was troubled for dowry by petitioner and her in-laws. She was initially abandoned but when she again joined the company of petitioner, she was beaten up and turned out of the matrimonial home. There was a consistent demand of motorcycle. The

complainant's grand-son has been forcibly kept back by the petitioner and his family members.

Counsel for the complainant has intervened to oppose the petition for pre-arrest bail on the ground that jewellery articles are to be recovered.

I have considered all the facts and circumstances of this case. The acts of petitioner are apparently acts of cruelty and domestic violence. After creating circumstances for the wife to leave the matrimonial home, her minor child has been retained. Though the petitioner had expressed his intention to resume cohabitation on November 11, 2014, but it appears that no steps have been taken till date. It is a case where recoveries are yet to be effected. No extraordinary exceptional circumstances exist to grant the concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

Februar 11, 2015
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(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE