

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-8798-2015 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 17.07.2015

Mohinder Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE R.P. NAGRATH

- 1. *Whether Reporters of the 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?***

Present: Mr. Ishwar Lal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ankur Jain, AAG, Punjab
for the State.

Mr. G.S. Chhina, Advocate
for the Complainant.

R.P. Nagrath, J. (Oral)

Prayer made in the instant petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.11 dated 01.02.2015 (Annexure P-1), under Sections 406, 498-A IPC registered at Police Station Women, District Ludhiana.

When the matter was listed on 19.3.2015, the following order was passed:

".....It is inter alia contended that Surinder Singh-husband of the complainant-Rajwinder Kaur was arrested and granted the regular bail. It is further contended that Surinder Singh aforesaid was also sent for police remand before sending him to judicial custody. It is also contended that petitioner is

the mother-in-law of the complainant.

Notice of motion 17.7.2015.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer within one week from today and join the investigation. In the event of arrest of petitioner, she be admitted to interim bail by the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer to his satisfaction. She shall join the investigation as and when called upon by the Investigating Agency and co-operate in the investigation of this case. She would also abide by all the conditions as envisaged by Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

In case, petitioner failed to do so, the concession granted to her by this order shall automatically stands vacated.”

Learned counsel for the respondent-complainant submits that the factum of the amount given in dowry by way of cheque has been concealed and further that some more articles are yet to be recovered.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Rajinder Kumar states that petitioner has joined investigation.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, interim order dated 19.03.2015 is made absolute. It is further directed that petitioner would again appear before the Investigating Officer on 30.07.2015 between 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM and cooperate with the investigation.

In case the petitioner fails to appear on the date and time stipulated above, the concession granted to her would stands automatically vacated.

17.07.2015

**(R.P. Nagrath)
Judge**