

Criminal Misc. M- No. 10763 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision : May 05, 2017

Gurmeet Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. H.S. Randhawa, Advocate for
Mr. P.S. Ahluwalia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajpreet Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab..

Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate
for the complainant.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 79 dated 16.05.2015 registered under Sections 306/498A IPC and in the alternative under Section 304B IPC wherein the petitioner has been summoned to face trial under Section 319 Cr.P.C. at Police Station Division No. 7, Jalandhar.

The petitioner has been summoned on an application under Section 319 Cr.P.C. It is submitted that the petitioner was earlier afforded the benefit of anticipatory bail at the initial stage by this Court on 12.08.2016 in CRM-M No. 13677 of 2016 (Annexure P-6). This Court on 19.12.2016 (Annexure P-7) set aside order dated 30.01.2016 summoning the petitioner by invoking the provisions under Section 193 Cr.P.C. Learned

counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to interim order dated 05.04.2017, the petitioner has appeared before the learned trial Court on 06.04.2017. She has been admitted to interim bail. The petitioner undertakes to appear on each and every date fixed before the learned trial Court to face trial. A certified copy of order dated 06.04.2017 passed by the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Jalandhar produced in Court today is taken on record subject to just exceptions.

Learned counsel for the State as well as the complainant do not deny the factual position as above.

There are no allegations on behalf of the State that the petitioner is likely to abscond or that she is likely to dissuade the witnesses from deposing true facts in the Court, if released on bail.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances noted above but without expressing any opinion on the merits of case, it is considered just and expedient to allow this petition. Consequently, interim bail afforded to the petitioner by the learned Additional Sessions Judge, Jalandhar is made absolute subject to her furnishing fresh bail bonds and surety.

Needless to say that the petitioner shall comply with the conditions stipulated in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

May 05, 2017
rts

(Lisa Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No