

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

CRM -M-16997 of 2016

Date of Decision: 16.2.2017

Parvinder Singh

---Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

---Respondent

Coram: Hon'ble Mrs. Justice Rekha Mittal

Present: Mr.M.S.Sodhi, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Ankur Jain, AAG, Punjab

Mr. Gurvir Kaur, Advocate
for the complainant

Rekha Mittal, J.

Parties were referred to the Mediation Centre but they could not patch up their differences and mediation failed.

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner joined investigation in compliance with order dated 17.5.2016 allowing interim bail and recovery of alleged articles of dowry has already been effected. It is further submitted that the petitioner is ready to face proceedings, in accordance with law.

Counsel for the State concedes to the position with regard to joining investigation and recovery of articles of dowry except one gold kara given to the petitioner.

I have heard counsel for the parties and perused the records.

It would a moot point to be decided during course of trial if gold kara given to the husband can constitute stridhan of the complainant. Custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required. In these circumstances, interim bail granted to the petitioner on 17.5.2016 is made absolute subject, however, to the following conditions:-

- (i) He shall Join the investigation as and when required by the Investigating Officer.
- (ii) He shall not offer any threat, promise or inducement to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing the same to the Investigating Officer/Court; and
- (iii) He shall not leave the limits of this country without prior permission of the Court.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(Rekha Mittal)
Judge

16.2.2017

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No