

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

CRM-M-18662-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision : 01.12.2017

Sandeep Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Ms. Avin Kaur Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Anju Arora, Addl.A.G., Punjab,
assisted by ASI Jugal Kishore.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail in FIR No.41 dated 10.04.2017, registered under Section 498-A of the Indian Penal Code, at P.S. Raja Sansi.

Heard.

On 24.05.2017, the following order was passed:-

“Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Ms. Shivali, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. A complete copy of the paper book has been furnished to the learned State counsel, in the Court.

The petitioner is directed to join the investigation.

Meanwhile, in the event of arrest of the petitioner by the Arresting Officer, he shall be released on interim bail subject to the following conditions:-

1.That he shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;

2.That he shall not directly or indirectly make any

inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer and;

3. That he shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.

Post before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court on 18.07.2017. Parties are directed to appear before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre on the date fixed.”

Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that in pursuance of the order passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 24.05.2017, is made absolute, subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition stands allowed.

01.12.2017
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes No

Whether Reportable : Yes No