

**201-a IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

Criminal Misc. M- No. 26832 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision : February 16, 2017

Jasmail Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Bikramjeet Singh Jatana, Advocate
 for the petitioner.

Mr. Sultan Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 55 dated 19.06.2016 registered under Section 328/498A/34 IPC at Police Station Sardulgarh, District Mansa.

It is submitted that the petitioner is the maternal aunt (Massi) of the co-accused Parmeshwar Pal Singh. Parmeshwar Pal Singh was married to the daughter of the complainant. Vague and general allegations have been levelled against the petitioner in the statement of the complainant – Nachatar Singh. Pursuant to order dated 12.08.2016, the petitioner has joined investigation. Her custodial interrogation is not required. Thus, it is prayed that this petition be allowed.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Gurvinder Singh Police Station Sardulgarh, District Mansa submits that the petitioner has indeed joined investigation and is no longer required for investigation. No recoveries are to be effected from her.

There are no allegations on behalf of the State that 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, order dated 12.08.2016 is made absolute.

February 16, 2017
rts

(Lisa Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No