

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

CRM No. M-27546 of 2017.

Date of Decision: 26.10.2017.

Gurpreet Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

CORAM : Hon'ble Mr. Justice Jitendra Chauhan

Present : Mr. G.S. Nahel, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Gulnoor Ghuman, AAG Punjab.

Mr. Aminder Singh, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN.J.(ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C seeking anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 108 dated 28.06.2017 registered under Sections 498-A and 406 read with Section 34 IPC at Police Station Bhawanigarh, District Sangrur.

On 05.09.2017 this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner assures that all the dowry articles shall be returned to the complainant within a week from today.

The petitioner is allowed to join the investigation.

Post again on 26.10.2017.

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.”

It is contended that in pursuance of the order dated 05.09.2017, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions, states that though the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is not required for custodial interrogation however, certain dowry articles and the cash amount is yet to be recovered.

In view of above, the order dated 05.09.2017 passed by this Court is made absolute, subject to furnishing of bail-bonds/surety bonds by the petitioner to the satisfaction of the CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned. However, the entrustment of dowry and the return thereof can be gone into by the trial Court.

The petition stands allowed.

26.10.2017.
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes/No
Whether reportable :	Yes/No