

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

CRM-M-27550-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision : 03.10.2017

Manmohan Goyal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. Ravi Sharma, Advocate,
and Mr. S.K. Liberhan, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, AAG, Haryana,
assisted by ASI Raj Kumar.

Mr. HPS Ishar, Advocate,
for the complainant.

JITENDRA CHAUHAN, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.0228 dated 17.07.2017, registered under Sections 323, 506 and 509 of the Indian Penal Code, (for short, 'the IPC') at Police Station Pinjore, District Panchkula.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the complainant had pledged her jewellery with the petitioner in lieu of the loan advanced to her by the latter. The complainant with *mala fide* intention and in order to evade the repayment of loan, has lodged the present FIR.

On the other hand, learned State counsel, on instructions submits that the petitioner in full public view hurled abuses upon the complainant and made indecent gestures intimidating her to withdraw the cases filed by the complainant which is clearly made out from the CCTV footage.

Heard.

Keeping in view the gravity of the offence and the material available in the form of CCTV footage and mobile phone video clipping, this Court is not inclined to grant the discretionary relief sought in the instant petition.

Dismissed.

Anything observed hereinabove shall not be construed as an expression of opinion of the Court, on the merits of the case.

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes No

Whether Reportable : Yes No