

Criminal Misc. M- No. 41533 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of decision : April 27, 2017

Manzoor Khan

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Sunny K. Singla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deep Singh, AAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 35 dated 05.06.2016 registered under Section 498A/406/323/324/506/120-B IPC at Police Station City Ahmedgarh, District Sagrur.

The above said FIR was registered at the behest of respondent No. 2 due to matrimonial discord with the petitioner. It is informed that Section 307 IPC has been added again on 05.04.2017. Section 307 IPC had earlier been deleted in the inquiry conducted by the police. On oral request of learned counsel for the petitioner, Section 307 IPC is added in the headnote and the prayer clause of this petition in addition to the Sections mentioned therein. Necessary addition be made by the Registry of this Court.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the matter has been amicably resolved between the parties in the interregnum. CRM-M No. 14698 of 2017 has been filed for quashing of the above said FIR. The matter is yet to be listed for hearing.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Surinder Kumar affirms that the petitioner has joined investigation pursuant to order dated 21.11.2016 passed by this Court. It is submitted that a Photostat copy of the settlement dated 18.04.2017 has been supplied to the investigating officer. CRM-M No. 37603 of 2016 filed by the co-accused Sher Mohd. has been allowed on 16.03.2017.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances noted above as well as the settlement arrived at between the parties but without expressing any opinion on the merits of case, it is considered just and expedient to allow this petition. Consequently, order dated 21.11.2016 is made absolute.

April 27, 2017
rts

(Lisa Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No