

CRM No. M-41153 of 2017

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-41153 of 2017
Date of Decision : 03.11.2017

Gurdev Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate for the petitioner.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J.(Oral)

The petitioner is seeking interim bail to attend the marriage of his sister. The petitioner is accused in FIR No. 99 dated 16.09.2014 under Sections 307, 326, 323, 324, 341, 148, 149 of IPC (Section 302 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Maqboolpura, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is an under trial in the aforementioned case and confined in Central Jail, Amritsar. He had himself surrendered on 21.02.2015. He also contends that marriage of his real sister is to be held on 06.11.2017 at Amritsar and the presence of the petitioner is required to conduct the marriage ceremonies as the mother and father of the petitioner have expired. A copy of the marriage invitation card is annexed at Annexure P-2.

Issue notice to the respondent.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Kanisth Ganeriwala,

learned Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Learned State counsel states that he has received telephonic message from Deputy Superintendent, Central Jail, Amritsar that marriage of the sister of the petitioner is indeed slated on 06.11.2017.

The petitioner is accused in an offence under Section 302 IPC and at this juncture, it would be appropriate to send him in police custody to attend and perform the ceremony pertaining to the marriage of his sister.

Consequently, the petition is partly allowed. The superintendent, Central Jail, Amritsar is directed to send the petitioner in police custody but without handcuffs to attend the marriage of his sister at 8:00 a.m. on 06.11.2017 and he shall be brought back to the Central Jail, Amritsar by 10:00 a.m. on 07.11.2017.

November 03, 2017
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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned?</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable?</i>	<i>No</i>