

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

**CRM-M-43382-2016
Date of decision: 10.07.2017**

Pawan Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. J. S. Grewal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. N. K. Banka, DAG, Punjab.

None for the complainant.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 31, dated 23.06.2016, for offences punishable under Section 498-A of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Pojewal, District S.B.S. Nagar.

At the time of hearing, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that pursuant to order dated 05.12.2016, passed by this Court, the petitioner has since joined the investigation and fully cooperated.

Learned State Counsel, assisted by the Investigating Officer, does not refute the aforesaid factual position and further states that the petitioner is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, the interim protection/pre-arrest bail granted to the petitioner by this Court's order dated 05.12.2016, is made absolute.

Since no one has put in appearance on behalf of the complainant, the litigation expenses as deposited by the petitioner, be deposited with the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court.

Petition stands disposed of.

July 10, 2017
Ansari

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No