

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

**CRM No. M-9569 of 2016
Date of decision: 11.01.2017**

Malkiat Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Mr. Sant Pal Singh Sidhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.P.S. Gill, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Pardeep Bajaj, Advocate,
for respondent No.2.

Ritu Bahri, J.

This petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.30 dated 11.09.2015, under Sections 498-A & 406 IPC, registered at Police Station, Women Cell, Ferozepur, District Ferozepur.

On 21.03.2016, Sarabjit Kaur daughter of the complainant was impleaded as respondent No.2 in this petition. Thereafter, an attempt was made for an amicable settlement by referring the matter to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court. As per report of the Mediator dated 21.07.2016, the parties could not reach at an amicable settlement. Thereafter, one more attempt was made for amicable settlement by this

Court and a direction was given to the petitioner to make payment of

Rs.1,00,000/- to respondent No.2 towards maintenance in order to show his *bona fide* that he wanted to take back his wife and child. However, neither the petitioner has paid this amount nor has come present in Court.

Since the petitioner has not made any effort to rehabilitate his wife and child, the present petition seeking anticipatory bail, is hereby dismissed.

11.01.2017
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

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