

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

Crl. Misc. M-11997 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 23.10.2018

Anoop Chopra

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondents

Crl. Misc. M-13159 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 23.10.2018

Veena Rani

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Rahul Rampal, Advocate
for the petitioner (in CRM-M-11997-2018).
Mr. Rahul Rampal, Advocate
for the petitioner (in CRM-M-13159-2018).

Ms. Rajni Gupta, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

Through this common order both the afore mentioned petitions
are disposed of as the facts of both the cases are identical.

The aforesaid petitions have been filed under Section 438 of
Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in the event of arrest
in FIR No.15 dated 03.02.2018 under Sections 406, 498-A of the Indian

Penal Code, registered at Police Station Women Cell, District Ludhiana.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners are falsely implicated in the present case and on the direction of this Court, have joined the investigation. It is also contended that nothing is to be recovered from them. It is further contended that the matter stands compromised between the parties.

Learned Sr. DAG Punjab appearing for the respondent-State, on instructions from ASI Sukhchain Singh, admits that the matter has been compromised before the Panchayat and half of the settled amount has been paid and also submits that petitioners have joined the investigation and they are not required for the custodial interrogation.

In view of the facts that the petitioners are not required for custodial interrogation and have joined the investigation and further the matter has been compromised, without commenting on the merits of the case, both the petitions are allowed and orders dated 14.08.2018 and 28.03.2018 granting interim bail to the petitioners are made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 Sub Section 2 Clauses (i)(ii) and (iii) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

October 23, 2018

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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
Yes/No