

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M- 14911 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision : 20.04.2018**

Harbans Singh

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. IPS Kohli, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Advocate
for the complainant.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J.

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 64 dated 20.11.2017, registered under Section 363, 366-A of IPC (Section 376 IPC added subsequently), Police Station Kabirpur (Ahali Kalan), District Kapurthala.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is the father of Gurpreet against whom the allegations were that he had enticed the daughter of the complainant. The counsel further submits that the boy and girl had eloped on 17th November 2017 but the FIR was lodged on 20th November 2017. The counsel further submits that the prosecutrix after her recovery had given a role even to the petitioner and to the other relatives of illegally confining her.

Investigation is over. The main accused has been arrested. The

State counsel informs that Section 376 IPC had been added in the FIR but the allegations under Section 376 IPC are not against the petitioner.

The trial will take time to conclude. Without commenting upon the merits of the case, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail on execution of adequate personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court.

20.04.2018
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(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE

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