

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

CRM-M-7359 of 2017(O&M)

Date of decision : 19.01.2018

Saroj

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Prashant Vashisth, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Seena Mand, DAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL,J(Oral)

Petitioner seeks the concession of anticipatory bail in FIR No.338 dated 21.11.2016, under Section 366-A, 363 IPC, registered at Police Station Ludhiana-City.

It is submitted that the petitioner solemnized marriage with respondent no.2, who was major, her date of birth being 01.01.1999. It is further submitted that the petitioner and the alleged victim-respondent no.2 are living together. They have been blessed with a child as well.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Balaur Singh, verifies that the petitioner and respondent no.2 solemnized marriage and are now living together. They have been blessed with a daughter on 10.10.2017.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances as above but without commenting upon or expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is allowed.

In the event of arrest of the petitioner, he be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting/investigating Officer. Petitioner shall comply with the conditions stipulated in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

19.01.2018

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**(LISA GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable:Yes/No