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

CRM-M-19672-2019 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 17.07.2019

Ronak Singh .....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab ....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Nitin Sachdeva, Legal Aid Counsel
for the petitioner.

Mr. Harbir Sandhu, Asstt.A.G., Punjab
for the respondent-State.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

The learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Vipin Kumar, Police Station Women Cell, District Ludhiana, has made statement that the police do not need the petitioner for investigation purpose and have no objection if the bail is allowed.

Let arguments be heard.

This order shall dispose off first anticipatory bail application filed by petitioner-Ronak Singh under Section 438 Cr.P.C in a case bearing

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FIR No.73 dated 12.03.2019 filed under Sections 406 and 498-A of the Indian Penal Code registered at Police Station Women Cell, Ludhiana.

The allegations against the petitioner have been levelled by complainant/wife-Lakshmi Kaur alleging that her marriage with the petitioner was solemnized on 09.11.2016 where dowry articles were given including gold. However, on account of inappropriate conduct of the family of the accused, who wanted the complainant to be in a relationship with other members of the family and also, on account of demand of more dowry, a matrimonial dispute had arisen between them leading to the registration of the present case.

The learned State counsel assisted by ASI Vipin Kumar, Police Station Women Cell, District Ludhiana, at the very onset, has made statement that the petitioner has already joined the investigations and that nothing is to be recovered from him and the police do not need him for further investigation and have no objection, if the present petition is allowed.

In light of the stand of the State, the present petition is allowed.

Accordingly, in the event of arrest, petitioner is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer till submission of report under Section 173 Cr.P.C (challan). He shall continue to join investigation and shall furnish an undertaking that he shall abide by the conditions specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C. Thereafter, petitioner will be permitted to furnish regular bail bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

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The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No

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