

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

CRM-M No.27476 of 2019
Date of decision: 16th July, 2019

Azad

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Virender Soni, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Ripudaman, Asstt. Advocate General, Haryana
for the respondent/State.
Mr. Lalit Kumar, Advocate for the complainant.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner Azad, accused in case bearing FIR No.149 dated 06.11.2018 under Sections 498-A, 313, 34, 376, 377, 506, 511 IPC pertaining to Police Station Women, District Rohtak, was initially arrested on 24.03.2019 and was released on regular bail on the same very day by the Court below and subsequent thereto, offences under Sections 420, 468, 471 IPC have been added and apprehending his arrest, he has come up before this Court in this anticipatory bail application under Section 438 Cr.P.C.

Upon hearing learned counsel for the two sides and perusal of the records. It is duly conceded to at the bar by learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Balwan Singh, Police Station Women, District Rohtak, that the petitioner has already joined the investigations during his

arrest and thereafter was released on bail. Offences punishable under Sections 420, 468, 471 IPC have been subsequently added and thus, sending the petitioner behind bars, to the mind of this Court, would be a travesty of justice as he has already been sufficiently interrogated and his appearing before the investigating officer would suffice the purpose.

Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to put in appearance before the investigating officer within fifteen days from today and on his doing so, he shall be released on bail to the satisfaction of the arresting/investigating 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.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

July 16, 2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No