

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA,
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-6739-2020

Date of decision : 14.02.2020

Anmol Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.. Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr.Sukhbir Maandi, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Manjari Nehru Kaul, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of Code of Criminal Procedure for quashing of FIR No.37 dated 27.01.2020 under Sections 363, 366-A of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Civil Lines, District Police Commissionerate, Amritsar.

Perusal of the FIR in question reveals that there are serious allegations levelled against the petitioner. It was submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner had in fact, solemnized marriage with the daughter of respondent No.2 against her wishes. As a result of which, the instant FIR was registered.

It was further contended that both petitioner as well as daughter of the complainant had also approached this Court by way of **CRWP No.862 of 2020** titled as “Anmol Singh and another Vs. State of Punjab and others” soon after the marriage seeking protection of their lives and liberty.

Be that as it may, the factum of the petitioner having married with daughter of the complainant is not disputed, coupled with the fact that daughter of the complainant was admittedly a minor on the date of

occurrence. It goes without saying that marriage with minor even if it is with the consent of the girl, would be of no consequence.

In view of the above, no ground is made out to quash the FIR in question.

Dismissed.

14.02.2020
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[MANJARI NEHRU KAUL]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No