

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

Sr. No.202

**CRM-M-14766 of 2020
DECIDED ON: July 17, 2020**

RAJESH KUMAR

..PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Deepanjay Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Bhawna Gupta, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Chandan Singh Rana, Advocate, for the complainant.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in FIR No.04, dated 08.01.2020 registered at Police Station Division No.3, Ludhiana under Sections 323, 380, 325, 354, 506, 148 and 149 IPC.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Surjeet Singh submits that the petitioner has joined investigation and is cooperating therewith.

Learned counsel for the complainant opposes the prayer for confirmation of interim order dated 11.06.2020 on the ground that the petition filed by the sister of the petitioner is pending for 24.09.2020 and in

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the said case the parties have been referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court. Thus, the present petition be heard with the said case.

The petition filed by the sister of the petitioner has been referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court as it may result in settlement of the marital dispute. The case of the petitioner is not connected with the said petition and the insistence of the learned counsel for the complainant is uncalled for.

Accordingly, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 11.06.2020, is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions enshrined under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, by him.

July 17, 2020

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**(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	No