

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

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CRM-M-17323-2020

Date of decision : 10.09.2020.

Seema and others

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Virender Singh Punia, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Aditi Girdhar, AAG, Haryana.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

Heard through video conferencing.

The petitioners are seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.86 dated 24.05.2020 under Sections 323, 379, 452, 506, 342 IPC (Section 325 IPC added and Section 452 IPC deleted later on) registered at Police Station City Narwana, district Jind.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the FIR is an outcome of a civil dispute between the parties and the civil litigation is pending. The offence under Section 379 IPC has been deleted by the police and no recovery is to be effected from the petitioners.

A Coordinate Bench of this Court, by order dated 03.07.2020, had directed the petitioners to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of their arrest, they were ordered to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Balwant Singh, states that the petitioners have joined investigation and are not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioners especially when the petitioners having joined investigation and the Covid-19 Pandemic, the order dated 03.07.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute.

However, the petitioners shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. They shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 10, 2020

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Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No