

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

CRM-M-17319-2020 (O&M)

Date of decision: 08.09.2020

Sahil Sharma

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE H.S. MADAAN

Present: Mr. Vivek K. Thakur, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Garg Dhuriwala, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

H.S. MADAAN, J. (Oral)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

Learned for the petitioner states that the girl in question was aged more than 18 years at that time and she had got married with the petitioner of her own, as such no offence of kidnapping is made out against the petitioner. Furthermore, the petitioner has since joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Naresh Kumar concedes this fact, further stating that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required by the local police.

It being so, the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 03.07.2020 is made absolute, subject to the following conditions:-

- 1.That the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;
- 2.That he shall not directly or indirectly make any

inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer and;
3.That he shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.
4.He shall surrender his passport before the Investigating Officer and if he is not having passport, then, shall file the affidavit in that regard.

In case, the petitioner violates any terms & conditions, on which the bail has been granted to him, the prosecution would be entitled to apply for cancellation of bail.

The petition stands allowed accordingly.

08.09.2020

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JUDGE

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