

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

CRM-M-7348-2020

Date of decision: 10.08.2021

**Paramjit Singh****...Petitioner****Versus****State of Punjab****...Respondent****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

Present:- Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Bhupender Beniwal, AAG, Punjab.

(Through video conferencing)

**ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)**

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in F.I.R. No.14 dated 14.01.2020 under Section 384 IPC read with Section 511 IPC and 506 IPC, registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala.

The operative part of the order dated 19.02.2020, vide which the petitioner has been granted interim bail, is reproduced below:

“Learned counsel for petitioner *inter alia* contends that as a matter of fact Parvinder Kaur (complainant herein) is of dubious character as she has been arrayed as accused in case FIR No.329 dated 24.08.2019 under Sections 323, 384 and 506 IPC, registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala and after having come to know about *modus operandi* of extortion etc., she has got involved the petitioner in the instant case FIR. She further submits that though petitioner has no nexus whatsoever with the alleged offence, even then the petitioner is ready to join investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency.

Notice of motion.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner, in pursuance to the order dated 19.02.2020, has already appeared before the SHO/Investigating Officer and has joined the investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on the basis of the affidavit of the DSP, Barnala, submits that in pursuance to aforesaid order, the petitioner has joined investigation and is no more required for any further investigation.

In view of the above and considering the fact that petitioner is on interim anticipatory bail for the last more than one and a half year and he has not misused the same during that period, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner, vide order dated 19.02.2020, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

**10.08.2021**

*Waseem Ansari*

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)  
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned*

*Yes/No*

*Whether reportable*

*Yes/No*