

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

CRM-M No.25684 of 2021(O&M)

Date of Decision:28.10.2021

Ranbir Singh and another

...Petitioners

Vs

State of Haryana

...Respondent

**CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR**

Present: Mr. J.S. Mehndiratta, Advocate  
for the petitioners.

Mr. Dhruv Sihag, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. Bhim Singh, Advocate  
for the complainant.

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**JAISHREE THAKUR J. (ORAL)**

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.127 dated 10.04.2021 registered under Sections 323, 406, 498-A, 506 IPC at Police Station City Thanesar, District Kurukshetra.

2. By an order dated 07.07.2021, this Court had granted interim bail to the petitioners and directed them to join investigation and hand over the dowry articles including the car gifted at the time of marriage, besides depositing their passport with the investigating officer.

3. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioners would submit that in terms of the order dated 07.07.2021, the petitioners herein have handed over the dowry articles including the car gifted at the time of marriage and had also deposited their passports with the investigating officer.

4. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent-State

on instructions from Investigating Officer submits that petitioners have joined investigation.

5. Learned counsel appearing for the complainant would submit that part recovery of dowry articles is yet to be effected.

6. I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

7. It has been held in the judgment rendered in ***Bhupinder Singh etc. Vs. State of Punjab 2014 (2) CRCR (Criminal) 109*** that bail cannot be denied only on the ground that recoveries have not been effected. In view of the fact that the petitioners have joined investigation and have also handed over the dowry articles including a car as well as deposited their passports, the instant petition is allowed and the order dated 07.07.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C. The petitioners herein are permitted to travel abroad, if they so desire, with prior permission of the trial court/Illaq Magistrate.

(JAISHREE THAKUR)  
JUDGE

October 28, 2021  
P.Bhatt

Whether speaking/reasoned      Yes/No

Whether reportable                  Yes/No