

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

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**CRM-M-27195-2019(O&M)
Decided on : 08.09.2021**

SUKHCHAIN MASIH @ LALLA

. . . Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR

. . . Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

(Through Video Conferencing)

PRESENT: Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. S.S. Deol, DAG Punjab
assisted by ASI Varinder Singh.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.29 dated 27.03.2019 under Sections 363, 366-A, 120-B of the IPC and Sections 3 and 4 of the POCSO Act, registered at Police Station Fatehgarh Churian Batala, District Gurdaspur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of order dated 19th February 2020 of this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation. It is the case of the petitioner that on account of a misunderstanding between the parties, the FIR in question was got registered against the petitioner, on the allegations that he had lured the daughter of the complainant away on the pretext of performing marriage.

However, later on, the daughter of the complainant appeared before the trial Court and made a statement that the misunderstanding between the parties had been removed and matter stood amicably resolved between them.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Varinder Singh states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for further interrogation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 19th February 2020 is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) CrPC.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

September 08, 2021
S.Sharma(syr)

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned:</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether Reportable:</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>