

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-3547 of 2022  
Date of decision:17.08.2022

Navneet Singh Kalhon

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and another

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL**

Present:- Mr. Manish Verma, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

**SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)**

Instant petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., seeking grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.217 dated 29.11.2021 registered under Sections 406 and 498-A of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Machhiwara, District Khanna (Annexure P-1).

FIR (Annexure P-1) is an outcome of matrimonial dispute between the husband-petitioner and his wife- complainant/respondent No.2. During pendency of the petition, parties were referred to the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court and matrimonial dispute has been settled by settlement/agreement dated 31.05.2022. A separate petition bearing CRM-M-29645 of 2022 has been filed for quashing of FIR on the basis of said settlement.

Vide order dated 28.07.2022, this Court directed the petitioner to join investigation and ordered his release on interim bail

Upon instructions from ASI Jarnail Singh, State counsel submits that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above facts, but without commenting on the merits of the case, present petition is allowed and order dated 28.07.2022 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

August 17, 2022  
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(SUVIR SEHGAL)  
JUDGE

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| Whether Speaking/Reasoned | Yes    |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |