

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(214)

CRM-M-14562-2022
Date of Decision: 23.08.2022

Vikas Gulati

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

--Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ.

Present:- Ms. Shreya Rana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Luthra, D.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Arpandeeep Narula, Advocate for the complainant.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ.J (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in FIR No.142 dated 21.11.2021 registered under Sections 406, 498-A IPC at Police Station Women, Ludhiana, district Ludhiana.

By virtue of the order dated 6.4.2022 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in pursuance to the order dated 6.4.2022 petitioner has joined investigation and has fully cooperated with the same. He submits that parties had appeared before the Mediation Centre, however, the mediation proceedings remained unsuccessful.

Learned State counsel has endorsed the same and submitted that petitioner is no more required for further investigation. However, he submits that recovery of some of the gold articles is yet to be effected.

Learned counsel for the complainant has however, opposed the submissions made by counsel for petitioner. He submits that some

educational certificates of the complainant have not been handed over by the petitioner, however, learned counsel for the petitioner has denied the same and submits that the said certificates are not in the possession of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the order dated 6.4.2022 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C and the petition stands allowed.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

23.08.2022

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