

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(224)

CRM-M-17231-2021

Date of Decision: 12.01.2022

Davinder Singh

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

--Respondent

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

Present:- Mr. Satyaveer Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rakesh Inder Singh Sidhu, A.A.G., Punjab.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ.J (Oral)

Matter has been taken up through video conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner in FIR No.0039 dated 8.3.2021 registered under Sections 406, 498-A IPC at Police Station, Women Ludhiana.

By virtue of the order dated 15.9.2021 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that in pursuance to the order dated 15.9.2021, the petitioner has joined the investigation and also paid the litigation expenses. However, counsel submits that the mediation proceedings between the parties remained unsuccessful.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Jatinder Singh has endorsed the same and submitted that petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

In view of the above, the order dated 15.9.2021 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**

12.01.2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No