

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

(119-2)

CRM-M-37831-2021

Date of decision:- 29.07.2022

Reeta and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Haryana and another

...Respondents

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

Present:- Mr. Nand Lal Sammi, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, DAG, Haryana for State-respondent No.1.

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

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking quashing of FIR No.422/2019 dated 25.09.2019, registered for offences under Sections 313, 323, 34, 376, 377, 406, 498-A, 506 and 511 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, at Police Station Gannaur, District Sonipat, Haryana, Annexure P-1, along with all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom.

Having argued at some length and sensing an adverse result, counsel for the petitioners does not press the petition. He, however, submits that since petitioners No.1 to 3 are the married sisters-in-law of the complainant and are staying at their matrimonial homes at far off places in Uttar Pradesh, their personal appearance before the Trial Court be exempted.

Request of the counsel has been considered.

Petition is disposed of with a direction that personal appearance of petitioners No.1 to 3 before the Trial Court shall remain exempted subject to the following conditions:-

- (i) That the counsel for petitioners No.1 to 3 keeps on appearing in the Court on each and every date of hearing.
- (ii) That the counsel for petitioners No.1 to 3 will give an undertaking before the Court about the instructions of the said petitioners to cross-examine the witness(s) in their absence.
- (iii) That the petitioners No.1 to 3 will not dispute the identity of the witnesses examined in their absence.
- (iv) That the petitioners No.1 to 3 will give an undertaking in the Court that they will put in appearance on every date as and when required by the Court.

**(SUVIR SEHGAL)**  
**JUDGE**

29.07.2022  
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| Whether Speaking/Reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |