

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

CRM-M-27144-2021

Date of decision : 04.03.2022

Navsangeet Singh @ Honey

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. K.B. Raheja, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rakeshinder Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Prayer in the present petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.48 dated 24.03.2021, under Sections 406, 494, 498-A, 120-B of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station City Tarn Taran, District Tarn Taran.

Vide order dated 15.07.2021 while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that pursuant to order dated 15.07.2021, petitioner has joined the investigation and appeared before the Mediation Centre as well. However, as the complainant was not ready to settle the dispute amicably, the same remained unsuccessful.

The report of the Mediator is placed on record affirming the submissions made by counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the complainant has submitted that there is no chance of reunion between both the petitioner and the complainant.

He further submits that recovery of some of the dowry articles yet remains to be effected.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Manjinder Singh, affirmed the fact that petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no more required for further investigation.

After hearing counsel for the parties, I am of the opinion that the matter deserves to be investigated thoroughly and decided on merits. Accordingly, interim order dated 15.07.2021 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands allowed.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

04.03.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No