

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

Date of Decision: 22.3.2022

..... Petitioner

Versus

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Ravi Malik, Advocate for
Mr. Sunny Singla, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr.R.S.Mann, DAG, Punjab.
Mr. Imran Farooqui, Advocate, for the complainant.

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 anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.171 dated 2.9.2020 registered under Sections 498-A, 506 IPC, at Police Station Sadar Ahmedgarh, District Sangrur.

By virtue of the order dated 12.1.2021, while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.

It has been contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has joined the investigation, and thus, the interim order may kindly be made absolute.

Learned counsel for the complainant has submitted that recovery is yet to be effected from the petitioner.

Learned State counsel has affirmed the fact that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for further investigation.

In view of the above, the interim order dated 12.1.2021 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

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No