

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

CRM-M-39670-2021 (O&M)

Date of decision-20.01.2022

Kamaljit singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and another

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr. Amandeep Singh Manaise, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rakeshinder Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Deepak Arora, Advocate for respondent No.2/complainant.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (ORAL)

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

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in a case FIR No.90, dated 04.08.2021 registered for offence under Sections 498-A, 406 and 506 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Sadar Gurdaspur, District Gurdaspur.

By virtue of the order dated 23.09.2021, 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 fully cooperated and thus, the interim order may kindly be made absolute.

Learned State counsel has affirmed the above-stated fact and submits that the petitioner is no more required for further investigation.

However, learned counsel for the complainant has vehemently opposes the same and stated that the recovery of dowry articles remains to be effected.

In view of the above, the order dated 23.09.2021 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