

**204 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH
(through video conferencing)**

CRM-M-34515-2019
Decided on : 19.01.2022

Naresh Kumar

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Vijay Rana, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

Manjari Nehru Kaul, J.

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C., for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.35 dated 08.06.2019 under Sections 406, 498-A IPC 1860 registered at Police Station Women District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that on account of a marital discord between the parties, FIR in question was registered against the petitioner. He further submits that parties have amicably settled all their disputes before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre. He further submits that pursuant to order dated 26.08.2019, passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Mangat Singh does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having joined the investigation. She, on further instructions states that the petitioner is not required for further investigation much less custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 26.08.2019, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

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**(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable :

Yes/No
Yes/No