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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-31350-2023
Date of decision: 25.09.2023

Satish Kumar

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

Present: Mr. M.S. Rana, Advocate and
Mr. Rohtas S. Brar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Ishma Randhawa, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

None for the complainant.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

This petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in a case bearing FIR No.60 dated 03.06.2023 under Sections 354/354-D/323/341/506/34 IPC registered at Police Station Anaj Mandi, District Patiala (Annexure P-2).

On 17.07.2023, the following order was passed:-

‘This is a petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.60 dated 03.06.2023 registered under Sections 354, 354-D, 323, 341, 506, 34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Anaj Mandi, District Patiala (Annexure P-2).

Learned counsel for the petitioner would contend that the present FIR as well as the earlier FIRs are the result of matrimonial discord between the parties which started in the year 2015 when they returned from Australia.

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Learned State counsel has filed a short reply by way of affidavit of Sh. Jaswinder Singh Tiwana, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, City-II, District Patiala in Court today, which is taken on the record.

Learned counsel for the complainant seeks some time to file a reply.

List on 25.09.2023.

Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when called for. In the even of arrest, the petitioner shall be admitted to interim bail on furnishing adequate surety and personal bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by all the terms and conditions as specified in Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.'

The learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Randhir Singh, informed the Court that in compliance of order dated 17.07.2023, the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required in the investigation.

In view of the statement of learned State counsel, order dated 17.07.2023 is hereby made absolute. The petitioner shall abide by the terms and conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

The petition stands disposed of.

(HARPREET SINGH BRAR)
JUDGE

25.09.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No