

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-36885-2023
Date of Decision :- 20.09.2023

Lovely
.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab
.....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present: Mr.Rakesh Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr.A.P.S. Tung, DAG, Punjab.

Mr.Sunil Sihag, Advocate
for the complainant.

SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (ORAL)

1. This is the second petition filed under Section 438
Cr.P.C. seeking grant of anticipatory bail in:-

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
67	09.05.2023	Balongi, District SAS Nagar.	448/420/380/120-B/506 IPC (Sections 467, 468 and 471 IPC were added later on)

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2. Upon instructions received from ASI Balwinder Singh, State counsel submits that petitioner has joined and cooperated with the investigation. He has specific instructions to state that petitioner is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

3. In view of the above, but without commenting upon the merits of the allegations, petition is allowed. Order dated 31.07.2023 is made absolute, subject to satisfaction of conditions laid down under Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

4. At this stage, on joint request made by counsel for the parties, the matter is referred to Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court. Parties are directed to appear before Mediation and Conciliation Centre, on 30.10.2023 at 10:00 a.m.

5. Report of learned Mediator be placed on the record in due course. It will be open for the Mediator to associate co-accused with the mediation process, if deemed necessary.

20.09.2023
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(SUVIR SEHGAL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking
Whether reportable

: Yes/No
: Yes/No