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

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Date of Decision:- 14.08.2024

Sunita and Anr.

....Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:-HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

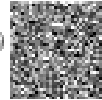
Present:- Mr. Loveleen Nanda, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Neeraj Madaan, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

AMARJOT BHATTI, J.

1. Petitioners Sunita and Chhaya Devi have filed this petition under Section 438 of Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.63 dated 02.04.2024, under Sections 452, 323, 506, 148, 149 of IPC, registered at Police Station Balongi, District SAS Nagar, Mohali (Annexure P-1).
2. Petitioners were granted interim relief vide order dated 03.05.2024, relevant part thereof runs as under:-

“In the meanwhile, petitioners will join investigation before the Investigating Officer as and when called. In the event of their arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit them to interim bail, till the next date of hearing, on their furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to its satisfaction. The petitioners are also directed to



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abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.”

3. Learned counsel for petitioners pointed out that in pursuance to the aforesaid order, petitioners have already joined the investigation and they will abide by the terms and conditions of bail order.

4. Learned counsel representing State filed detailed status report, which is taken on record. In para No.5 of the status report it is made clear that during investigation offence under Section 452 of IPC has been deleted vide DDR No.25 dated 07.08.2024. It is confirmed that both petitioners have joined the investigation and they are not required for further investigation.

5. In view of the aforesaid factual position, anticipatory bail application filed by petitioners is allowed and interim relief already granted in their favour vide order dated 03.05.2024 is made absolute subject to the conditions specified under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

6. Petition is accordingly disposed of.

7. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, stand disposed of accordingly.

14.08.2024

Sunil Devi

(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No