

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

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**CRM-M-3218-2023
Date of Decision: 08.01.2024**

DEEPANSHU PARSHER AND OTHERS

...Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present:- Mr. K.V.S. Ahluwalia, Advocate with
Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Ms. Himani Arora, AAG, Punjab.

HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of the FIR No.001 dated 08.01.2016 registered under Sections 406, 498-A IPC at Police Station Kapurthala City, District Kapurthala.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the present FIR was registered in the year 2016 but thereafter no investigation was conducted. Respondent No.2 is facing many other FIRs and the present FIR is an abuse of the process of law.
3. Status report by way of affidavit of Gurmeet Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Detective and Sub Division Kapurthala has been filed on behalf of respondent-State, which is taken on record. It is alleged in para No.7 of the status report that cancellation report has been prepared but could not be presented before the Court as respondent No.2 was absent as she is absconding in FIR No.149 dated 26.09.2015 registered under Sections 420, 465, 466, 471 IPC. Apart from this, 4 other FIRs mentioned in para No.8 of the status report are registered against respondent No.2-complainant.

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4. In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Investigating Officer to present the cancellation report before the trial Court within a period of 15 days from today. Trial Court is requested to decide the same expeditiously preferably within a period of two months from today.

**(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)
JUDGE**

08.01.2024
P.Bhatt

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