

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-64146-2023(O&M)
Date of Decision: 18.04.2024

GURLAL SINGH
STATE OF PUNJAB

VERSUS

....Petitioner
....Respondent

CORAM : HON’BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present : Ms. Palvi, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 of Cr.P.C.
seeking anticipatory bail in FIR mentioned below:-

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
05	19.11.2023	Police Station Women, Ludhiana Rural, District Ludhiana	Section 498-A of IPC

2. Vide order dated 14.02.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner was released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.
3. Learned State counsel filed status report dated 18.04.2024. The same is taken on record. He further, on instructions states that the petitioner has joined the investigation on 25.01.2024 and he is not required for custodial interrogation. No useful purpose will be served by detaining him in custody. In view of the said facts but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 14.02.2024 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

18.04.2024
Deepak Patwal

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No
2. Whether reportable Yes/No