

Gurpreet @ Gurpreet Singh @ Deepa Vs. State

FIR No. 112 dated 26.04.2017,
U/s 406,498-A IPC & 67 IT Act
P.S.Phillaur, District Jalandhar

Present: Sh. Naryan Singh Thakur ,Advocate, counsel for the
applicant/accused Gurpreet @ Gurpreet Singh @ Deepa
Sh Ricky Chodha, APP for the State.

ORDER:-

1. Heard on the second bail application moved by accused/applicant Gurpreet @ Gurpreet Singh @ Deepa. Learned counsel for the applicant/accused argued that the applicant/accused is an innocent person and has not committed any offence. It is further submitted that earlier bail application was allowed on 27.02.2024 under sections 406 & 498-A of IPC but inadvertently, at the time of filing bail application applicant did not mention section 67 of Information Technology Act. It is further argued that the applicant/accused is in judicial custody since 06.09.2023. It is pleaded that Court may consider the bail application and applicant/accused may kindly be released on bail.

2. On the other hand, Learned APP for the State has highly opposed the bail application on the ground that offence attributed to the accused are serious in nature. The accused-applicant is not entitled to the concession of bail and the same may be dismissed.

3. I have heard the Learned Counsel for the applicant/accused and Learned APP for the State and have gone through the police file.

4. Original file perused. Perusal of the file reveals that accused Gurpreet @ Gurpreet Singh @ Deepa was granted bail by this Court, vide order dated 27.02.2024 for the offence punishable under sections 406 and 498-A of IPC. However, perusal of the case file reveals that the present FIR was registered under sections 406, 498-A of IPC and section 67 of Information Technology Act. The accused is in custody since 06.09.2023 and no useful purpose will be served by keeping the accused in custody,

rather it will be a burden on the state exchequer. Hence, the accused/applicant Gurpreet @ Gurpreet Singh @ Deepa is admitted to bail under section 67 of Information and Technology Act on same terms and conditions as mentioned in order dated 27.02.2024. Application stands disposed of. Bail bonds and surety bonds not furnished. Be tagged with remand papers.

Date of Order: 05.06.2024

Sunil shukla*

(Meenakshi Gupta)

Sub Divisional Judicial Magistrate

Phillaur/ UID No. PB0369