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**IN THE COURT OF MS. BALJINDER SIDHU, ADDITIONAL
SESSIONS JUDGE, FAST TRACK SPECIAL COURT,
GURDASPUR**

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1. Satpal Singh son of Jaswant Singh
2. Sarabjit Kaur wife of Satpal Singh both residents of village Bajjuman,
P.S. Sadar Batala, Tehsil Batala, District Gurdaspur.

---Accused/applicants

Versus

State of Punjab.

FIR No. 37 dated 14.04.2025

U/s 498-A/406 IPC

P.S. Dera Baba Nanak

1st BAIL APPLICATION U/S 482 of BNSS

Present: Sh. Pauran Bhagowalia Adv. counsel for
accused/applicants.
Sh. Hardeep Kumar, Addl.P.P for the State assisted by Sh.
Vinod Basa Advocate.

ORDER

1. The present order of mine shall dispose off bail application
moved under Section 482 of BNSS on behalf of applicants, who are
parents in law of the complainant.
2. Notice of bail application was given to State. The learned
APP for the State assisted by counsel for complainant has put in
appearance and contested the bail application.
3. In brief, the facts of the present case are that the present case
was registered on the basis of an application moved before DIG, Border

Range, Amritsar by complainant, wherein he mentioned that marriage of his daughter Gagandeep Kaur was solemnized with Manbir Singh on 12.03.2024 with a great pomp and show in which sufficient dowry articles including gold ornaments, electronic appliances, furniture etc. were given and also arranged function for about 500 persons. The complainant further mentioned that after the marriage, the behaviour of in laws family of his daughter was very strict and they harassed his daughter for the demand of more dowry. The husband of his daughter taunted her on the account of dowry demand and raised demand of car. On 21.03.2024 the parents in law and husband of his daughter gave slap blows on her face and confined her in a room without food and his daughter informed him telephoncially. It was further stated by the complainant that on next day, his wife alongwith his son went to the matrimonial house of his daughter, where again parents in law and husband of his daughter raised demand of more dowry and car. After some time, his daughter became pregnant and then parents in law and sister in law alongwith brother in law of his daughter started pressuring his daughter for check up her womb as they wanted to male child, but when his daughter refused for this, they started harassing his daughter. The complainant further mentioned that on 04.09.2024 mother in law, father in law and husband of his daughter started raising demand of Mahinder car, but his daughter refused to fulfill their demand and then they gave slap blow on her face and ousted her from the house. The complainant tried to rehabilitation of his daughter, but her in laws family were adamant on their demand of more dowry and car.

4. I have heard the counsel for accused-applicants, learned

Additional PP for the State and have also perused the record.

5. The counsel for accused-applicants argued that accused-applicants are innocent and falsely implicated in the present case being parents in law of the daughter of complainant. It was further argued that there is no specific allegations against the accused-applicants and they never maltreated the daughter of the complainant. The counsel for accused-applicants argued that accused-applicants are old aged person and has nothing to do with the matrimonial life of the daughter of the complainant and prayed for grant of anticipatory bail.

6. On the other hand, learned Additional PP for the State strongly argued that the allegations against present accused-applicants are grave in nature. It was further argued that accused-applicants had played active role in harassing and torturing the daughter complainant on the demand of dowry and prayed for dismissal the bail application.

7. After hearing rival contentions of both the parties and perusing the record and in the light of above said facts that the allegations against the accused-applicants are grave and serious in nature as they raised demand of car and more dowry from the complainant and treated her with utmost cruelty on the demand of dowry. The entire acts as alleged of the accused-applicants was very inhuman and not acceptable in the society. The matter is still pending investigation and challan is yet to be presented. Therefore, there is every likelihood that if accused/applicants are granted bail, they may attempt to hamper the process of the investigation in one way or the other. As such without further delving into the merits of

the case and keeping in view of the fact that there are specific and serious allegations against the present applicant and as such the bail application of accused-applicants stands dismissed.

Date of Order: 30.04.2025

Dilbag Singh Steno-II

(Baljinder Sidhu)

Additional Sessions Judge

Fast Track Special Court

Gurdaspur/UID no. PB0100