

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

CRM-M-No. 25921 of 2015

Date of decision: September 28, 2015

Sarda and others

----Petitioner(s)

V/s

State of Haryana

-----Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

1. Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?
2. To be referred to reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present:- Mr. Arjun Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Kapil Aggarwal, Addl. Advocate General, Haryana.

Mr. Prateek Rathee, Advocate for the complainant.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

Prayer made in the present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case FIR No. 77, dated 04.06.2015, for offence punishable under Sections 306/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Rewari, District GRP, Ambala Cantt.

This Court, vide order dated 06.08.2015, has granted interim bail to the petitioners, however, subject to their joining investigation and to comply with the provisions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that pursuant to the order dated 06.08.2015 passed by this Court, the petitioners have joined investigation.

Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI-Satya Pal, also submits that the petitioners have joined investigation and their custodial interrogation is not required at this stage.

On the other hand, Mr. Prateek Rathee, Advocate, who has put in appearance on behalf of the complainant has vehemently argued that in the suicide note written by the deceased, the petitioners have been named. Therefore, in case the petitioners are granted anticipatory bail, it would give negative message to the society and petitioners would pressurize the witnesses.

Considering the fact that even the FSL report on alleged suicide has not been received, it would be too harsh to decline the interim bail of the petitioners.

In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioners, vide order dated 06.08.2015 passed by this Court, is made absolute.

However, petitioners shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

September 28, 2015

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**[HARI PAL VERMA]
JUDGE**