

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No. 42325 of 2015 (O&M)
Date of decision : December 22, 2015

Balkaran Singh,

..... Petitioner

v.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. AS Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, Addl. AG Punjab.

1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporters or not ?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest ?

Ajay Tewari, J (Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of regular bail in case FIR No.52, dated 13.5.2015, registered under Section 306 of the IPC, at Police Station Nihal Singh Wala, District Moga.

Allegations are that the wife of the petitioner committed suicide. Custody certificate by way of affidavit of Sucha Singh, officiating Superintendent, Central Jail Faridkot has been filed.

Counsel for the petitioner has argued that as per the allegations in the FIR, the deceased-wife had given her phone to the sister of the petitioner-husband and that sister used that phone and used to talk to her paramour. The petitioner and his family blamed the deceased for this and

that is why the deceased was disturbed. The petitioner has now been in custody since 14.5.2015.

Learned Addl. AG Punjab has argued that there are some allegations regarding dowry also, which have been countered by counsel for the petitioner that they are extremely vague and even what has been demanded has not been mentioned.

Be that as it may, without commenting upon the merits of the case, and keeping in view the period of custody already suffered by the petitioner, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of regular bail to the petitioner. Bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Petition stands disposed of.

(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

December 22, 2015
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