

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc. No. M-20629 of 2016
Date of Decision: 27.07.2016

Paramjit Kaur

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

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

Present:- Mr. D.S. Kahlon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sultan Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.92 dated 13.7.2014 under Sections 306, 34 IPC, registered at Police Station Mehta, District Amritsar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is real sister of the deceased Daljit Singh. He submits that even if the alleged suicide note is taken into consideration, on the face of it, it appears that the same has been tempered with. There is no allegation against the petitioner that the deceased has died on account of abetment on the part of the petitioner. The petitioner is in custody since 4.5.2016.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Major Singh, submits that since there was property dispute between the petitioner and the deceased, the petitioner used to harass the deceased Daljit Singh and being fed up with the same, he has committed the suicide. The Petitioner has been named in the suicide note.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Considering the fact that the authenticity of the suicide note is required to be established during trial and the petitioner is in custody since 4.5.2016, coupled with the fact that the trial will take sufficiently long time, the present petition is allowed. The petitioner is admitted on regular bail subject to furnishing of his bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

It is made clear that expression made hereinabove shall not be construed as any opinion on the merits of the case.

July 27, 2016
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(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned?

Yes / No

Whether reportable?

Yes / No