

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

CRM-M-21612 of 2016

Date of decision: 22.6.2016

Laddi @ Karaj Singh and anr.

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and anr.

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GURMIT RAM

Present: Mr. Mandeep K. Saajan, Advocate
for the petitioners.

GURMIT RAM, J. (Oral)

Notice of motion.

Mr.Piyush Sharma, Advocate puts in appearance on behalf of the complainant (respondent No.2) and filed power of attorney on his behalf. The same is taken on record.

At the asking of the Court, Mr.Deepak Garg, Assitant Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent No.1 - State and Mr.Piyush Sharma, Advocate, accepts notice on behalf of the complainant (respondent No.2).

Facts, in brief, as mentioned in this petition are that Sukhwinder Singh (since deceased) son of complainant - Bakhshish Singh was engaged to one Raj Kaur daughter of Jagtar Singh. Subsequent thereto, said Sukhwinder Singh and his family members started making demand of dowry as a condition present for the marriage of Sukhwinder

Singh with Raj Kaur. Due to this reason, the engagement between Sukhwinder Singh and Raj Kaur was broken. It is also mentioned that even Sukhwinder Singh was ready to marry Raj Kaur without any dowry but his father was not ready to do so. Due to this reason, Sukhwinder Singh felt insulted and he committed suicide under depression in his house in the presence of his family members. In this connection, FIR No.118 dated 16.8.2013 was registered at Police Station Ghall Khurd, under Section 306 of the IPC against the petitioners and one Jagtar Singh.

An enquiry was conducted qua this case by DSP (D), Ferozepur on the application of Jasveer Singh son of Jagtar Singh. During enquiry, it was found that above-said FIR has been got registered by the complainant party on wrong facts due to revenge. Recommendation was made for the cancellation of this FIR.

Thereafter, cancellation report was presented in the Court of learned Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Ferozepur, where the complainant filed a complaint under Section 156(3), Cr.P.C. against the petitioners and Jagtar Singh. The present petitioners and Jagtar Singh were summoned in this complaint by the Court vide order dated 1.3.2016.

Heard counsel for both the parties.

In the light of above circumstances of the case in hand and in the interest of justice, the arrest of the petitioners is stayed for 15 days from today with the condition that they will move an application for grant of regular bail before the learned trial Court concerned on 1.7.2016 and in that eventuality, the trial Court is directed to dispose of their said application(s) on merits within the above-said stipulated period of 15

days, after giving due notice to the opposite party.

The present petition stands disposed of accordingly.

22.6.2016
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(GURMIT RAM)
JUDGE