

CRM-M No. 31051 of 2016

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

CRM-M No. 31051 of 2016

Date of decision : September 14, 2016

Harwinder Singh @ Bindri

..... Petitioner

v.

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr. Prashant Vashisth, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. KS Pannu, DAG Punjab

Ajay Tewari, J (Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR
No.132, dated 24.12.2015, registered under Section 306/34 of the IPC, at
Police Station Sudhar, Ludhiana Rural.

As per allegations, one Jaswant Singh died because he had
to pay ₹ 40 lacs to Jugraj Singh and Jugraj Singh was insisting that
either money should be paid or he would occupy 2 acres of land of

Counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner is alleged to have accompanied Jugraj Singh. It is very doubtful that the petitioner would accompany Jugraj Singh with the prior knowledge that Jaswant Singh would commit suicide.

Counsel for the respondent has accepted the factual assertions but states that the petitioner has been named in the suicide note.

Be that as it may, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner. Consequently, the petitioner is directed to appear before the Investigating Officer on 24.09.2016 or on any other day on which the Investigating Officer requires his presence, and in the event of his arrest, the petitioner shall be released on anticipatory bail by the Investigating Officer to his satisfaction subject to the compliance of the provisions as contained in Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.

The petition stands disposed of.

September 14, 2016
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes/No

Whether Reportable:

Yes/No