

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

**CRM-M No.34339 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision : 05.10.2016**

Varinder Singh

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Mr.B.S.Jatana Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, Addl. AG, Punjab.

Ms. Supriya Garg, Advocate
for the complainant.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R. No.69 dated 19.06.2016 registered under Sections 306/506/149 IPC at Police Station City Budhlada, District Mansa.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has argued that the allegations are that the petitioner had taken money from the deceased to send him to Malaysia on a work permit but he was taken on a tourist Visa and over there he had to face arrest and after he came back and demanded that atleast the money should be returned not only the petitioner refused to

return the money he was also threatened and because of this pressure he committed suicide. He further states that the petitioner has been in custody since 22.06.2016.

Learned Additional Advocate General on instructions from ASI Baldev Singh and learned counsel for the complainant have accepted these factual assertions. Learned counsel for the complainant has however argued that it was the acts and omissions of the petitioner which directly led to the suicide.

Be that as it may, keeping in view the above facts and the period of incarceration already suffered by the petitioner, without going into the merits of the case, I deem it appropriate to release the petitioner on regular bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

Ordered accordingly.

Petition stands allowed.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

05.10.2016

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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether Reportable :

Yes/No