

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-3815 of 2016

Date of decision : 11.05.2016

Sona Devi

... Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. Bijender Dhankhar, Advocate for the petitioner

Ms. Mahima Yashpal, AAG Haryana

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No. 377 dated 12.09.2015 registered at Police Station Rai District Sonipat under Sections 498-A, 306, 34 IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that petitioner is the mother-in-law and they were living separately. He has placed on record copy of the ration card. He urges that the son was married in 2001 and they had two children and the incident occurred in 2015 and there are no specific allegations against the petitioner and the police had challaned two sister-in-laws, husband and the petitioner. He further states that there are no injuries in the postmortem report and death was on account of poison.

Learned State counsel submits that case is at the stage of prosecution trial and 12 witnesses have been examined out of 19 witnesses.

The petitioner is in custody since 29.09.2015. The complainant has been examined. The death had taken place after 14 years of marriage. The trial is taking time.

Without commenting anything on the merits of the case and considering the fact that the trial will take time to conclude, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on her furnishing adequate bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

**(ANITA CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE**

May 11, 2016
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