

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

**CRM-M-17918-2017
Date of decision: 12.10.2017**

Charanjeet Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Tejinder Pal Singh, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Gaganpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 0480 dated 27.12.2016, under Sections 498-A, 34 of the IPC (Section 306 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Ambala Cantt. District Ambala.

Counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is facing trial under Section 306 IPC and the investigation in the matter is complete. It is also contended that the father of the deceased has not come forth for recording of his statement despite two opportunities having been granted.

Ms. Gaganpreet Kaur, AAG, Haryana, has appeared on behalf of respondent-State and contested the bail application. She opposes the grant of regular bail to the petitioner on the ground that FSL report is still awaited and moreover the petitioner has specifically been named by the deceased in her statement given before the JMIC, Chandigarh on 27.12.2016.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties and in view of the fact that the petitioner is younger brother of the husband of the deceased and has been in custody since 13.02.2017; the investigation is complete and the trial is likely to take some time on account of the fact that FSL report is still awaited, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

However, any opinion expressed herein is for the purpose of grant of regular bail and not an opinion on the merits of the case.

12.10.2017
Ansari

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No