

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

CRM-M -18725 of 2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 07.09.2017

Vicky Chuhan (correct name Vikram Singh)

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. SPS Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. A.S. Gill, Sr. DAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI Davinder Singh.

Mr. S.S. Behl, Advocate for the complainant.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in FIR No.91 dated 19.04.2017, registered under Section 306 of IPC, at Police Station Division No.6, Ludhiana, District Ludhiana.

It is contended that in pursuance of order dated 24.05.2017, the petitioner has joined investigation. The cause of death in fact was maltreatment given by the family members that they had some suspicion on her character. He refers to the suicide note to contend that the deceased completely exonerated the petitioner and the petitioner never instigated the deceased, therefore, Section 306 has been wrongly invoked.

On the other hand, the learned State counsel, on instructions states that though the petitioner has joined the investigation, however, there are specific allegations against the petitioner in the FIR.

The learned counsel for the complainant also opposes the bail petition.

Heard.

From the suicide note, it is inferable that the deceased was in relationship with the petitioner for a very long time. The petitioner was seen in the company of other woman, which prompted the deceased to take the extreme step of ending her life. The conduct of the petitioner, in the present set of facts cannot be said to be less than the instigation. The long association of the petitioner with deceased is not in dispute. The investigation is at preliminary stage. In the circumstances, the Court is not inclined to accept the prayer made in the instant petition.

Dismissed.

Anything said herein above shall not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

07.09.2017
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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No