

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

CRM-M-22469-2018

Date of Decision: 30.08.2018

Bhrampal

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. Karan Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Gaurav Bansal, A.A.G., Haryana.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J

Petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.0926 dated 17.10.2017, registered under Sections 304-B and 34 of IPC at Police Station Jhajjar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has placed on record the *zimni* orders and states that the petitioner is in custody since 02.11.2017. It is stated that the death had occurred after 6 years of marriage and the charge was framed and the complainant is not appearing andailable warrants were ordered on 18.05.2018 and the case had been adjourned 7 times after that and the FSL report has not been filed and the trial would take time. Counsel further submits that the main allegations are that husband used to drink and he used to come home late and towards the end, the complainant did mention that the deceased had not told anything to her father about the demand of dowry but was told to the mother but the FIR does not refer to the demand made.

Main allegation in the beginning of the complaint is that the petitioner was a compulsive alcoholic and he used to come home drunk and late in the night. The allegations were that her jewellery was kept in the bank and the petitioner's brother was threatening to take control of her and they had killed the daughter. The death in this case is by hanging.

The trial is taking time. Complainant is avoiding the witness box. Without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing surety and adequate bail bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

August 30, 2018

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**(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No