

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

CRM-M No.23853 of 2018
Date of decision: 5th June, 2018

Jagdeep Singh @ Deepu

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Mr. Inderjeet S. Chawla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Grewal, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab
for the respondent/State.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)

Learned State counsel has placed on record custody
certificate and a copy thereof supplied to the other side.

This order shall dispose off first regular bail application of
petitioner-Jagdeep Singh alias Deepu in case bearing FIR No.20 dated
22.07.2017 pertaining to Police Station GRP Abohar, District Fazilka
under Section 306/34 IPC got registered on the complaint of Sukhdev
Kumar brother of deceased Babu Ram.

Allegations in brief are that on 12.01.2017, the deceased
had committed suicide by jumping before a running train and left
behind a suicide note leading to arrest of the petitioner on 31.10.2017.

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner Mr.Inderjeet Singh Chawla, Advocate that there is no specific allegation against the petitioner in commission of the offence and has sought to place reliance on the suicide note (Annexure P3) and has enlivened his arguments by seeking support from an order dated 02.04.2018 whereby this Court had allowed similar relief to co-accused non-applicant Paramjit Kaur alias Rani, and has sought parity on the basis of the same.

Learned State counsel though has sought to oppose the grant of bail to the petitioner in the light of heinousness of the offence and seriousness of allegations but has duly conceded the fact that there is no specific allegation attributed against the petitioner.

Appreciating the submissions of the two sides, admittedly petitioner is a young boy of college going age and a bare look at the suicide note (Annexure P3) nowhere reflects any specific role assigned to the petitioner and the only apparent insinuation is the one directed against the wife Charanjit Kaur alias Channi, non-applicant. In view thereof and the fact that culpability, if any, shall be determined at the time of trial which is not likely to conclude in the near future together with the principle of parity, this Court is of the opinion that further detention of the petitioner in the present case is unwarranted.

Accordingly, he is ordered to be released on regular bail to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Fazilka.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

June 5, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No