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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No. M-25604 of 2018

Date of Decision: June 19, 2018

Joginder Kaur

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. A.K. Garg, Advocate for
Ms Rakhi Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. H.S. Sullar, DAG Punjab

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Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No. 30 dated 19.04.2018 under Sections 306/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Kamboj, District Amritsar.

2. The petitioner is the maternal grand mother-in-law of Lovepreet, son of the complainant. The deceased (Ramandeep Kaur) allegedly committed suicide on 18.04.2018 leading to the registration of the present FIR. The allegations against her are that she used to harass the deceased by taunting her for being characterless because allegedly the deceased had an affair with the son of Balwinder Kaur. Interestingly, the son of Balwinder Kaur with whom the deceased allegedly had an affair, is not named as an accused in the FIR.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that from the bare allegations in the FIR, it can not be said that the petitioner has committed an offence under Section 306 IPC.

4. Learned State counsel submits that the FIR shows that the petitioner is liable for offence under Section 306 IPC. He, however, submits that the police has no material against the petitioner.

5. In view of the above, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is directed to join the investigation on 25.06.2018 at 10.00 a.m. and shall continue to do so as and when required by the Investigating Agency. In the event of her arrest, the petitioner shall be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer/Arresting Officer/SHO concerned subject to her compliance of provisions enshrined under Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No