

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

Crl. Misc. M 27334 of 2017 (O&M)
Date of decision: 16.1.2018

Charanjit Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present: Mr. Bhrigu Dutt Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

MsAnju Arora, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The petitioner herein has filed this petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail in case FIR No. 65 dated 15.6.2017, under Sections 304-B and 201 IPC (Section 201 IPC added later on) registered at Police Station Kiratpur Sahib, District Rupnagar.

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in this case. It is submitted that the petitioner, who is the sister-in-law of the deceased, is married and was residing in her matrimonial home at the time the occurrence is alleged to have taken place. She has a two years old daughter. It is also submitted that during the interim bail granted to the petitioner she gave birth to a child but that could not survive because of the ill health of the petitioner. It is further submitted that challan has already been presented and out of 7 witnesses two

formal witnesses have been examined. The trial is likely to take some time. No useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind bars till the conclusion of the trial. Therefore, he prays that the petitioner be admitted to regular bail.

Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondent—State opposes the grant of regular bail, while submitting that the offence alleged against the petitioner is serious in nature.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

During pendency of the petition, the petitioner was released on interim bail. At this stage, without going into the merits of the case and keeping in view the facts that medical condition of the petitioner is not good and she needs constant medical aid and the trial is likely to take some time to conclude, the present petition is accepted and the order dated 3.8.2017, granting interim bail petitioner, is made absolute, subject to her furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the trial court/Duty Magistrate concerned, within a period of 10 days from today.

16.1.2018
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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No