

**Sr. No.221
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM No. M-5570 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 01.03.2018

Pal Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present:- Mr. R.S.Mamli, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amrik Narwal, DAG, Haryana.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.(ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner pending trial in case FIR No.100 dated 16.04.2017, under Section 306 of IPC, registered at Police Station Bhattu Kalan, District Fatehabad.

Counsel for the parties have been heard.

FIR came to be registered on the statement of Rajinder.

Deceased are Jai Karan i.e. real brother of Rajinder and Kavita i.e. wife of Jai Karan and who are stated to have committed suicide on 16.04.2017 having consumed some poisonous substance.

Present petitioner has been arraigned as an accused and has been specifically named in the FIR by the complainant on the allegations that he was Sarpanch and had friendly relations with the family and had developed illicit relationship with Kavita

(since deceased).

As per prosecution version, the factum of such illicit relationship had come in the knowledge of the family and on account of which Panchayat had been convened and inspite thereof the present petitioner did not mend his ways. Further more complainant asserted that even a mobile and sim card that the present petitioner had furnished to Kavita had been caught from the lady.

Complainant asserted that upon receiving information that his brother and sister-in-law are not feeling well, he rushed to the place of residence and whereupon Jai Karan and Kavita informed him that they are taking the extreme step being disturbed and ashamed and on account of blackmail by Pal Singh/present petitioner.

In the light of such serious allegations, this Court is not inclined to grant benefit of bail to the petitioner.

Be that as it may, petitioner has faced incarceration since 23.04.2017.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from ASI Bhim Singh has apprised the Court that trial is at the concluding stage inasmuch as out of 15 prosecution witnesses having been cited, 13 have already been examined.

Under such circumstances while declining the prayer made in the instant petition, the same is disposed of with a direction to the trial Court to expedite the trial in any case conclude the same within a period of 04 months from today.

Disposed of.

01.03.2018

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(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes
No