

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

Crl. Misc. M 6800 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision: 31.5.2018

Anil Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present: Mr. Gursimran Singh Madaan, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Nikhil K. Chopra, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

Mr. AS Manaise, Advocate,
for the complainant.

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. 224 dated 7.9.2017, under Section 306 IPC registered at Police Station City Kapurthala, District Kapurthala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case and he is in custody since 12.9.2017. It is contended that there is a suicide note which has been recovered, which is in the hand written of the deceased, in which she has not implicated any one. Learned counsel also contends that all the material witnesses have been examined and 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. He prays that the petitioner be admitted to regular bail.

At this juncture learned counsel for the complainant submits that the suicide note, as relied by the petitioner is a disputed one, considering the fact that the admitted signatures of the deceased were not sent to the Handwriting expert.

Mr. Nikhil K. Chopra, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, also opposes the bail application, while contending that the offence as alleged to have been committed by the petitioners is of serious nature.

Without going into the merits of the case and keeping in view the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 12.9.2017 and the trial is likely to take some time to conclude, the present petition is accepted and the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No