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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH****CRM-M-15265 of 2019****Date of decision: May 08, 2019**

Bakha Singh and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU****Present:** Ms. Dhivya Jerath, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG Punjab.

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**MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J (Oral)**

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (for short 'Cr. P.C.') for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in FIR No.138 dated 17.10.2018, under Section 306 of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station Amargarh, District Sangrur.

On 05.04.2019, this Court has passed the following order:-

*“It is contended by learned Counsel for the petitioner(s) that in the Suicide Note, at the first instance, it is mentioned that there was a grievance for refund of ₹ 60,000/-, resulting into abetment to commit suicide and in the last line, it is mentioned that daughter-in-law of the deceased, namely, Lovepreet Kaur was having illicit relations with her brother-in-law. It is also contended that aforesaid amount of ₹ 60,000/- was paid regarding the criminal case, in which, deceased had been convicted.*

*Let copy of the said judgment, convicting the deceased, be placed on record.*

*Adjourned to 08.05.2019 for further consideration.*

*In the meanwhile, the petitioner(s) are directed to join*

*the investigation before the Investigating Officer. In the event of their arrest, the Arresting Officer would admit them to interim bail in the present case(s) till the next date of hearing on their furnishing adequate bail and surety bonds to his satisfaction. The petitioner(s) are also directed to abide by all the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.*

*Photocopy of this order be placed on the connected case (s).”*

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Assistant Sub Inspector Kirpal Singh has submitted that the petitioners have joined investigation in terms of order dated 05.04.2019 and their custodial interrogation is not required.

In view of the above, order dated 05.04.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioners, is made absolute subject to the provisions of Section 438(2) Cr. P.C.

Petition stands disposed off, accordingly.

However, it is made clear that the petitioners shall fully co-operate with the Investigating Officer as and when called for further investigation.

The above observations may not be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

**(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)**  
**JUDGE**

**May 08, 2019**  
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Whether speaking/ reasoned: **Yes**

Whether Reportable: **No**