

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

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CRM-M-31489-2019

Date of decision : 30.09.2019

Sunita

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Sandeep Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. N.K. Banka, DAG, Punjab.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.24 dated 04.05.2019 under Section 306 IPC, registered at Police Station Patara, District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations in the FIR do not *prima facie* constitute an offence under Section 306 IPC against the petitioner. He states that the petitioner is alleged to be having an affair with the deceased. It is alleged by the complainant, who is the father of the deceased that his son (deceased) was trying to avoid meeting the petitioner but she herself had threatened that in case, he does not meet her, she will commit suicide. He also contends that there is no suicide note and the FIR has been registered after a delay of seven days of the alleged occurrence. The petitioner is 34 years old lady with three minor children and is in custody since 05.05.2019.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Surjeet Singh, states that although charges have been framed but no prosecution witness has

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner especially when the petitioner is 34 years old lady, she is in custody for over four months and conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 30, 2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No