

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

**CRM-M-40492-2019
Date of decision-10.12.2019**

Anil Passi

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. N.K.Manchanda, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J. (Oral)

Petitioner-Anil Passi has filed this petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C for issuance of directions to respondent Nos.2 and 4 to conduct fair and proper further investigation of case in FIR No.45 dated 08.03.2019 registered under Section 306 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station City Ferozepur, District Ferozepur and further transfer the investigation to some independent agency.

On 16.10.2019, the following order was passed:-

“Learned State counsel is directed to file an affidavit of Senior Superintendent of Police, Ferozepur indicating the progress made so far in the investigation of the FIR No.45 dated 08.03.2019 registered under Section 306 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station City Ferozepur, District Ferozepur.

Adjourned to 16.11.2019.”

In compliance of the above order, status report by way of

affidavit of Vivek S.Soni, IPS, Senior Superintendent of Police, Ferozepur on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 5 has been filed.

As per the allegations by the complainant (petitioner), Sunil Kumar (victim) was business partner with Pankaj Mathur (accused/respondent No.7) and a sum of Rs.4 lacs was paid to Sunil for sharing in the medicine business with the said accused. According to the complainant, victim along with his wife Arti (accused) used to live in a house of Pankaj Mathur who is brother-in-law of Arti. As per the allegations, the victim was disturbed as the amount invested by him was usurped by Pankaj Mathur in connivance with his wife. The victim died of drowning who jumped in canal on 08.03.2019. The reply reveals that the suicide note of the victim was found in the business note-book wherein he has not blamed anyone for the extreme step taken by him and the said suicide note was sent to Forensic Science Laboratory for examination.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Sharma Singh apprised the Court that the FSL report has been received and the investigation is at the fag end.

In view of the above, this Court does not find any reason to transfer the investigation to some other agency, which is at the advanced stage.

Petition is dismissed.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

10.12.2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned :

Yes

No

Whether Reportable :

Yes

No