

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

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**CRM-M-48250-2019
Date of decision: 19.11.2019**

Kulwant Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN KUMAR TYAGI

Present : Ms. G.K. Mann, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Singh Deol, D.A.G. Punjab.

ARUN KUMAR TYAGI, J (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.0123 dated 27.04.2019 under Section 306/34 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station Jandiala, District Amritsar Rural.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the daughter of the petitioner and the deceased had parted ways, agreeing to file divorce petition and had thereby settled their grievances. There was no question of the petitioner abetting commission of suicide by the deceased. The petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case. The petitioner is in custody since 09.04.2019. The trial is likely to take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody. The petitioner is ready to abide by the terms and conditions of the bail and may, therefore, be granted regular bail.

On the other hand, learned State counsel has submitted that the allegations made against the petitioner are serious and, therefore,

the bail application may be rejected.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, nature of the accusation made, period of custody of the petitioner, the fact that the trial is likely to take a long time and also that detention of the petitioner in custody during trial will not serve any useful purpose but without commenting on merits of the case, I am of the considered view that the petitioner deserves the concession of regular bail.

Therefore, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on furnishing of personal and surety bond(s) to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Additional Sessions Judge concerned.

19.11.2019

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(ARUN KUMAR TYAGI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No