

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

**CRM-M No.13046 of 2020**  
Date of decision: 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2020

Saroj Devi

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & another

... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH**

Present: Mrs. Ritam Aggarwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

**FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing on account of lockdown due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

Mr. Baljinder S. Virk, Dy. Advocate General, Haryana puts in appearance on behalf of the State on his own.

Petitioner Saroj Devi, who is accused in case bearing FIR No.129 dated 22.03.2019 under Sections 304-B, 201, 316, 34 IPC pertaining to Police Station Pundari, District Kaithal, has come up in this first interim bail application under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

Upon hearing learned counsel for the petitioner Mrs. Ritam Aggarwal, Advocate; learned State counsel Mr. Baljinder S. Virk, Dy. Advocate General, Haryana and on perusal of the records. Admittedly, petitioner Saroj Devi, who is in custody since 22.04.2019, is suffering from acute Hepatitis along with other serious ailments as is reflective from the documentary evidence placed on the record by learned counsel

for the petitioner by way of reports from the laboratory as well as PGIMS Rohtak. In the light of contentions of learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner being an old lady suffering from serious ailments needs an attendant to move around for her routine activities, together with the period of detention of the petitioner, this Court is of the opinion that it would be in the fitness of things and in the interest of justice, if the petitioner is allowed interim bail for a period of one month with effect from 29.05.2020, subject to her furnishing personal bonds in the sum of ₹1.00 lac with two sureties in the like amount to the satisfaction of Illaqa Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Kaithal and the petitioner shall surrender before the Superintendent, District Jail, Kaithal on 29.06.2020 at 10.00 a.m.

The petition stands disposed off accordingly.

**(FATEH DEEP SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**

**May 28, 2020**

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Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether reportable

Yes/No  
Yes/No