

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

CRM-M-19752 of 2020

Date of Decision : August 26, 2020

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..... PETITIONER(S)

VERSUS

State of Punjab

.... RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY KUMAR

Present: Mr. Naveen Kumar, Advocate, for the petitioner.
 Mr. S.P.S. Tinna, Additional Advocate General, Punjab.

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Sanjay Kumar, J.

The petitioner is one of the accused in FIR No. 170 dated 10.10.2019 on the file of Police Station Jaito, District Faridkot, registered under Sections 306 and 149 IPC. By way of this petition, she seeks regular bail under Section 439 Cr.P.C.

The petitioner has been in custody since 11.10.2019. Investigation having been completed, the challan under Section 173 Cr.P.C. was also filed before the jurisdictional Court. The charge against the petitioner is that her husband committed suicide owing to the dispute with her. This would have to be established by the prosecution after due trial.

However given the present situation caused by the COVID-19 Pandemic,

there is no possibility of the trial being completed expeditiously. The co-

accused of the petitioner have already been granted bail on conditions.
The petitioner would therefore be entitled to similar relief.

The petition is accordingly allowed directing the release of the petitioner on regular bail upon her furnishing a personal bond for a sum of ₹20,000/- along with two sureties for a like sum each to the satisfaction of the Illaqa/Duty Magistrate. Further, the petitioner shall not cause any threat, inducement or promise to any person connected with the case.

August 26, 2020
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(Sanjay Kumar)
Judge

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