

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-23174-2020(O&M)

Date of Decision: 18.8.2020

Daljit Singh

--Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

--Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present:- Mr. Parvinder Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Sandhu, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J (Oral)

Matter has been taken up through video conferencing via Webex facility in the light of the Pandemic Covid-19 situation and as per instructions.

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C seeking issuance of directions to official respondents no.1 to 3 to transfer investigation of FIR No.0164 dated 18.5.2020 registered under sections 306, 34 I.P.C, registered at Police Station, Dera Bassi, S.A.S Nagar to any other district or to some other independent agency.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that daughter of the petitioner was married to one Sukhvir Singh in the year 2012 and thereafter was being continuously harassed by her husband as also in-laws. Daughter of the petitioner on account of such harassment committed suicide at her in-laws house on 17.5.2020. Consequently, the afore-mentioned FIR was registered at Police Station, Dera Bassi, district S.A.S Nagar.

The entire case projected in the petition is that the police authorities are not acting fairly and inspite of there being specific

allegations, it is only the husband who is being seen as an accused.

Since an advance copy of the petition had already been served upon the State of Punjab, Mr. A.S. Sandhu learned Addl. A.G., Punjab has joined proceedings.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from SI Narender Kumar has informed the Court that even though, the challan has been presented only against the husband namely Sukhvir Singh but investigation thereafter is carrying on and in which father-in-law, mother-in-law and brother-in-law have been nominated as accused.

In the light of such categoric stand taken on behalf of the State, counsel representing the petitioner does not press the instant petition, at this stage.

Disposed of.

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

18.8.2020

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	Whether Reportable:	Yes/No