

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-3614-2021

DATE OF DECISION: 01.03.2021

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... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. B.K. Bagri, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Beniwal, DAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.149 dated 18.07.2020, under Sections 306 read with Section 34 IPC, registered at Police Station Behal, District Bhiwani.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is the brother-in-law of co-accused Babli, who was the wife of the deceased. Due to matrimonial dispute, Babli had filed a complaint against the deceased on 14.07.2020. The deceased is alleged to have died on 18.07.2020. The allegations in the FIR would not constitute a prima facie case under Section 306 IPC and the petitioner has been involved only because he is the brother-in-law of co-accused Babli.

This Court, by the order dated 27.01.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from SI Yashwant, states that the petitioner has joined the investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 27.01.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

01.03.2021

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