

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.208

CRM-M No.24711 of 2021

DATE OF DECISION: 16.08.2021

Jaspreet Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

(Heard through Video-Conferencing)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA

Present:- Mr. S.S. Grewal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Samina Dhir, D.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Pardeep Kumar, Advocate
for the complainant.

MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA, J. (ORAL)

The above-named petitioner seeks the relief of regular bail in the criminal case pertaining to the FIR bearing No.09 dated 02.03.2021 registered at Police Station Jaurkian, District Mansa, under Section 306 IPC with the allegations that she, along-with her co-accused named Jasvir Singh alias Garibo, abetted Gurdas Singh, i.e her son, to commit suicide.

I have heard learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel and learned counsel for the complainant in this petition and have also perused the file thoroughly.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in this case and even the victim/deceased did not

leave behind any suicide note, disclosing the reason for his taking such a drastic step and moreover, the petitioner is in custody since 02.03.2021 and nothing is to be recovered from her and in these circumstances, she deserves the relief as prayed for in the instant petition.

Per contra, learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for the complainant argue that due to the illicit relations between the petitioner and her said co-accused, the afore-named victim was constrained to end his life and in view of the gravity of the offence as committed by the petitioner in this case, the instant petition be dismissed.

However, keeping in view the facts that the petitioner is behind the bars since 02.03.2021 and the investigation has been completed and even the challan has also been presented against her in the Court and the trial of the case is likely to take sufficient time to conclude and without commenting or expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petitioner named Jaspreet Kaur is hereby ordered to be released on regular bail on her furnishing the requisite bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition in hand stands allowed accordingly.

August 16, 2021

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**(MEENAKSHI I. MEHTA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:

Yes

Whether reportable:

No