

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-24984-2021 (O & M)

Date of Decision: July 14, 2021

SMT. PUSHPA

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. R.K. Bagga, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Vijesh Sharma, Addl. AG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No. 642 dated 31.10.2020, under Section 346 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 ('IPC' - for short) (Section 306 read with Section 34 IPC was added later on), registered at Police Station Bhiwani City, District Bhiwani.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is the wife of the deceased. The allegations against her are general in nature and would not constitute a *prima facie* case for the commission of offence punishable under Section 306 IPC.

This Court, by the order dated 02.07.2021, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of her arrest, she was ordered 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 ASI Dashrath, states that the petitioner has joined investigation but the report of the handwriting expert with regard to the suicide note is yet to be received.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 02.07.2021 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. She shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

July 14, 2021
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No