

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

**CRM-M-39740-2021(O&M)
Date of Decision: 28.09.2021
(Heard through VC)**

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...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Bawa, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Sihag, AAG, Haryana.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C., for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.227 dated 18.05.2021 under Sections 304 B, 34 and 498A IPC, registered at Police Station Meham, District Rohtak, Haryana.

Learned counsel for the petitioner would contend that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the said FIR. It is submitted that there is an allegation in the FIR that the deceased-Arti was murdered by her in-laws' family, however, the medical does not support the said allegation and it has been found that she had committed suicide. It is argued that the petitioner has been in custody since 30.05.2021 and there is nine months old baby of the petitioner who is to be looked after. It is also submitted that the matter has been investigated and the challan has been

presented and trial is likely to take some time to conclude, therefore, custody of the petitioner would no longer be required.

Learned counsel for the respondent-State would oppose grant of bail to the petitioner, however, is not in a position to dispute the fact that the investigation stands completed and challan has been presented.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties and have perused the case file.

Keeping in view the fact that the petitioner is sister-in-law of the husband of the deceased and has one minor child to be looked after, who is only nine months old. In view of the fact that the minor child needs to be nurtured and the matter has been investigated and the trial is likely to take time to conclude, no useful purpose would be served in keeping the petitioner behind bars any longer. The instant petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail on her execution of personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of concerned trial court/Duty Magistrate. However, any observation made herein shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on merits of the case.

28.09.2021

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(JAISHREE THAKUR)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No