

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

CRM M-3730 of 2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: January 27, 2022

Balwinder Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present : Mr. Satish Sabharwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

Mr. Kuldeep Singh, Advocate
for the complainant.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J. (Oral)

The petitioner husband Balwinder Singh has come up in this second regular bail petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. in case FIR No. 0059 dated 01.05.2019 under Sections 304-B/34 IPC registered at Police Station Arni Wala, District Fazilka.

Heard Mr. Satish Sabharwal, Advocate for the petitioner, Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl. A.G. Punjab assisted by Mr. Kuldeep Singh, Advocate for the complainant.

Admittedly, the marriage between petitioner and deceased Nirmal Preet Kaur was solemnized in the year 2014, out of which, the couple was bestowed with a male child now stated to be 03 years old. The allegations hover around demand of dowry and mental cruelty, to which, the deceased was put to after she failed to fulfil the demands of the in-laws including the petitioner/husband. It is, thereafter, on 01.05.2019, the deceased was put to death by means of fire.

The assertions by Mr. Satish Sabharwal, counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is behind the bars since a long time and the trial is not progressing has been well controverted by the learned State counsel assisted by counsel for the complainant on the grounds that in view of the heinousness of the offence, no case for grant of bail is made out.

Be so as it may, this Court vide detailed order dated 17.07.2020 had declined the prayer for bail to the present petition. Thus, in the light of the reasons spelled therein and there being no legally justifiable grounds to consider allowing the present bail application, this Court does not find any merits in the instant petition and the same is dismissed.

January 27, 2022
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(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No