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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-4478-2022 (O&M)
Date of Decision:04.04.2022

Bhupinder @ Pinder

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Puneet Kumar Bansal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

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Manoj Bajaj, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has approached this Court under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure to seek anticipatory bail in a case FIR No.0116 dated 19.11.2019 registered under Sections 306/34 IPC at Police Station Cantt. Ferozepur, District Ferozepur, who apprehends his arrest at the hands of Police.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner's son, namely, Vicky died unnatural death and upon a complaint made by the petitioner, a case FIR No.108 dated 26.10.2019 was registered for the offence punishable under Section 304-A IPC and the petitioner was making efforts for addition of the offence punishable under Section 302 IPC, as the accused, namely, Monty caused homicidal death of his son. He submits that as per the allegations in the subject FIR, Monty's father, namely, Mahesh Kumar ended his life by committing suicide and according to complainant, the petitioner abetted the suicide. According to him, the

lawful remedy adopted by petitioner cannot be construed as an abetment and

further, pursuant to the interim order dated 03.02.2022, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

Learned State counsel, who is instructed by ASI Raman Kumar, states that indeed the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation for the time being.

Considering above, the petition is allowed and the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 03.02.2022 is made absolute.

04.04.2022
Jasmine Kaur

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes	No
Whether reportable	Yes	No