

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-18294-2022
Reserved on: 05.09.2022
Pronounced on: 14.09.2022

Surinder Kaur @ Rekha ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present: Mr. Sant Pal Singh Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Jashandeep Singh, AAG, Punjab.

ANOOP CHITKARA, J.

FIR No.	Dated	Police Station	Sections
43	05.07.2021	Ajitwal District Moga	302, 201, 34 IPC

1. The petitioner, incarcerated upon his arrest in the FIR captioned above, came up before this Court under Section 439 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (Cr.P.C.) seeking bail.
2. In paragraph 15 of the bail petition, the accused declares that he has no criminal antecedents.
3. The petitioner, allegedly in conspiracy with her paramour, killed her husband, who was objecting to such an affair.
4. Ld. Counsel for the petitioner contends that the pre-trial incarceration would cause an irreversible injustice to the petitioner and family.
5. Ld. counsel representing the State opposes bail.

REASONING:

6. The prosecution's case is of circumstantial evidence with corroboration from an Extra Judicial Confession of the petitioner. An analysis of the allegations and evidence collected does not warrant the grant of bail to the petitioner.
7. Any observation made hereinabove is neither an expression of opinion on the merits of the case nor shall the trial Court advert to these comments.

8. Since a woman is incarcerating for more than a year, this court requests the Trial court to expedite the trial.

Petition dismissed in aforesaid terms. All pending applications, if any, stand disposed.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

14.09.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes
Whether reportable: No.