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

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Date of decision:21.10.2022

Baljit Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Anuj Dewan, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Harkanwar Jeet Singh, AAG, Punjab.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Through this second petition, the petitioner seeks regular bail in case bearing FIR No.51 dated 19.08.2019, registered at Police Station Taragarh, District Pathankot, under Sections 302 and 120-B IPC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has falsely been implicated in the present case; that the petitioner was not named in the FIR; that the petitioner has been in custody since 30.08.2019; that out of 24 prosecution witnesses, only 06 witnesses have been examined, and that conclusion of the trial would take a long time.

On the other hand, learned State counsel, while opposing the grant of bail to the petitioner, submits that Jageer Kaur and the complainant i.e. husband of the petitioner/accused, while appearing before the trial Court as PW 1 and PW 2, respectively, have fully supported the

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prosecution version and that in his supplementary statement dated 30.08.2019, the complainant specifically stated that the petitioner alongwith co-accused Suridner Kumar Singh had caused the death of Gulzar Singh (father of the complainant). He further submits that the petitioner also suffered disclosure statement dated 01.09.2019 and handed over the mobile phone to the Investigating Officer, and that from the call record, the petitioner was found to be involved in the present case.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

This is the second petition for the grant of regular bail to the petitioner, the first one was dismissed as withdrawn, at that stage, on 28.02.2022.

In the present case, serious allegations have been levelled against the petitioner, who is none else but the daughter-in-law of the deceased.

As per the case of prosecution, the petitioner had committed the murder of Gulzar Singh, in connivance with co-accused Surinder Kumar Singh with whom she had illicit relations.

Keeping in view the nature and gravity of the offence, this Court does not find any merit in the present petition.

Dismissed.

21.10.2022

parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No