

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-42671-2022 (O&M)

Date of decision : 9.5.2023

Asha and another

... Petitioners

VERSUS

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Ms. Arshdeep Kaur, Advocate, for
Mr. Yashpal Thakur, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. C.L.Pawar, Addl. AG, Punjab.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in criminal case having FIR No.110 dated 7.6.2021 registered under Sections 302, 120-B, 323, 506 IPC at Police Station Fatehgarh Sahib, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

2. The allegations in nutshell are that all the accused persons entered into a conspiracy and thereafter, in furtherance of the said conspiracy, co-accused Badal while driving white colour Verna car rammed the same against Rinku and ran over Baljit Kaur, as a result of which, Baljit Kaur sustained injuries and later on, died.

3. Counsel for the petitioners *inter alia* submits that as per prosecution version, both the petitioners conspired with Badal and in furtherance of the same, Badal rammed Verna car into Baljit Kaur, as a result of which, she died. She further submits that the petitioners were not

present at the time of the alleged occurrence and further contends that main-accused Badal faced trial and has been acquitted vide judgment dated 4.5.2022 (Annexure P-3). He further submits that the petitioners have joined the investigation with the police in compliance of previous order.

4. State counsel on instructions from ASI Gurcharan Singh submits that the petitioners, who have joined investigation with the police, are not required for further investigation or custodial interrogation and that the challan has been prepared which will be filed very shortly in the Court concerned.

5. In view of the above, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and order of interim bail dated 10.10.2022 is hereby made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

May 9, 2023

Paritosh Kumar

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No