M. Cr. C. No. 4196 / 2013

<u>30.05.2013</u>

Mr. Ikram Ansari, learned counsel for the applicant.

Mr. Suraj Sharma, learned Panel Lawyer for the respondent – State.

Heard.

The applicant has been arrested in Crime No. 72/13, registered at Police Banganga under Section 302/34 of the Indian Penal Code.

According to the prosecution, in the night of 23/1/2013, Hukum Singh, the deceased, who happened to be the father of Sapna tried to molest his daughter. On objection being raised by Sapna, applicant Kaluram, maternal-grand-father of Sapna assaulted Hukum Singh with an axe, as a result of which Hukum Singh died.

Learned counsel for the applicant submits that with a view to save modesty of Sapna, the applicant and other accused persons assaulted the deceased. The deceased at the time of occurrence was under intoxication. The incident was witnessed by Anita, wife of the deceased as well as by Sapna, daughter of the deceased. Both of them disclosed to Police that deceased tried to molest Sapna.

Learned counsel for the respondent – State has opposed prayer of the bail on the ground that applicant caused injury to the deceased which resulted into his death.

On due consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case, this application is allowed. It is directed that applicant — Kaluram Chouhan be released on bail on his furnishing personal bond in the sum of Rs.20,000/- (Rs. Twenty Thousand only) with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of CJM, Indore for his appearance in the committal proceedings and trial.

Cc as per Rules.

(RAKESH SAKSENA) VACATION JUDGE