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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-45855-2016

Date of decision : 30.12.2016

Mangat Rai @ Sonu

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMIT RAWAL

Present: Mr. Digvijay Nagpal, Advocate for
Mr. Nikhil Bhatia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mikhail Kad, AAG, Punjab.

AMIT RAWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is stated to have been involved in an FIR bearing No.185 dated 22.10.2016 registered under Section 306 of the Indian Penal Code, whereby Rajwinder Kaur, who has already been divorced, had allegedly committed suicide. Allegation in the FIR is that the petitioner had an illicit relationship and he is responsible for abetting the deceased on committing such crime.

This Court called upon Mr. Mikhail Kad, AAG and he, on instructions from ASI Guriqbal Singh, submits that till date the police has not been able to trace out any email, whatsapp and text messages to *prima facie* establish the involvement of the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he is willing to join the investigation and provide whatever assistance or information to the police in respect of the aforementioned observations.

Keeping in view the aforementioned observations, the petition is allowed and in the event of arrest of the petitioner, the petitioner shall be released on bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions contained in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C., and he will join the investigation as and when required.

30.12.2016
Yogesh Sharma

(AMIT RAWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	✓ Yes/ No
Whether Reportable	✓ Yes/ No