

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-41182-2024
Date of decision: 29.10.2024

YUVRAJ SINGH ALIAS YABUPETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB ...RESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: - Mr. Manpreet Singh Dua, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG, Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS,
petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
66	09.04.2024	324 IPC (now 118 of BNS, 2023) and 326 IPC (now 118 (3) of BNS, 2023 added later on)	Mahilpur, District Hoshiarpur

2. Dr. Sunil Mallan, Advocate has put in appearance on behalf of the complainant and has filed his power of attorney in the Court today. The same is taken on record.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 30.09.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 30.09.2024.
4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Daljit Kumar intimates the Court that the petitioner has joined investigation and is



neither required for further investigation nor for any custodial investigation.

5. Learned counsel for the complainant has opposed the bail application.

6. During the course of hearing on 30.09.2024, following order was passed:

“1. Heard.

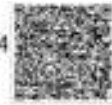
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, inter alia, contends that originally the FIR was registered under Section 324 IPC and the petitioner had joined the investigation on 10.04.2024. He submits that even the weapon of offence was recovered by the police from him and he was released on bail, however, subsequently, due to addition of offence under Section 326 IPC police again intend to arrest the petitioner. He submits that the petitioner is not having any criminal antecedents and he is ready to join investigation again.

3. Per contra, learned State counsel, on the basis of the Pervi report, has not disputed this aspect that the petitioner has already joined investigation in this case on 10.04.2024 and the possible recovery of weapon has already been effected.

4. In these circumstances, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023.

5. List on 29.10.2024. ”

7. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation



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consequent to the order dated 30.09.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 30.09.2024 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023. Further the petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice for such purpose to be served by Investigating Officer of this case upon the petitioner; he will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

8. The petition stands allowed.

9. It is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

29.10.2024

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |