

2025:PHHC:082015



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

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CRM-M-8937-2025

Date of decision: July 09, 2025

HARKIRAT SINGH SRA

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. M.K. Bali, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amit Rana, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ashish Sharma, Advocate
for the complainant.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.003 dated 18.01.2025 under Sections 419, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of Indian Penal Code, 1860, registered at Police Station, Civil Lines, District Bathinda.
2. On 11.03.2025, the petitioner had been granted interim anticipatory bail with direction to join investigation, as and when called upon to do so.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in compliance of order dated 11.03.2025, the petitioner has joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.



4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, does not dispute the factum of the petitioner having joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency. He, on further instructions, submits that the petitioner is not required for further investigation, much less for his custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the above, the petition is allowed, and interim order dated 11.03.2025, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C./482(2) BNSS.

July 09, 2025
Jaspreet Kaur

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether reportable : *Yes/No*