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

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CRM-M-9698-2025

Date of decision: May 22, 2025

DILRAJ SINGH AND ANOTHER

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Jaskaran Singh, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Yuvraj Shandilya, AAG, Haryana.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023 for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in case FIR No.62 dated 17.02.2021 under Sections 406, 420, 506, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, (Sections 467, 468, 471 of the IPC added later on) registered at Police Station Taraori, Karnal (Annexure P-1).
2. On 20.02.2025, the petitioners had been granted interim anticipatory bail with direction to join investigation and the relevant part of the said order reads as under: -

“Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioners have already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail vide order dated 29.11.2021 (Annexure P-4) passed by a coordinate Bench of this Court. It has been submitted that after presentation of challan, complainant moved an application, upon which investigation was carried out and Sections 467, 468 and 471 of the IPC were added later on.”



3. Learned counsel for the petitioners has reiterated that in compliance of order dated 20.02.2025, the petitioners have joined investigation and cooperated with the investigating agency.

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

5. In view of the above, the petition is allowed, and interim order dated 20.02.2025, is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Cr.P.C./482(2) BNSS.

May 22, 2025
Jaspreet Kaur

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether reportable : *Yes/No*