



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

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CRM-M-10915-2025

Date of Decision: 01.04.2025

GURMEET SINGH

...PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... RESPONDENT

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N. S. SHEKHAWAT

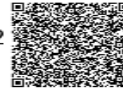
Present: Mr. Loveleen Handa, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. I.P.S. Sabharwal, DAG, Punjab.

N. S. SHEKHAWAT, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 482 of B.N.S.S with a prayer to grant anticipatory bail to him in case FIR No.06, dated 13.01.2025, under Section 408 of IPC, registered at Police Station Arniwala, District Fazilka (Annexure P-1).
2. While granting the concession of interim anticipatory bail by this Court on 27.02.2025, the following contentions were noticed by this Court and the same have been reproduced below:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner had joined the Bharart Financial Inclusion Limited (Indusind Bank) as Field Officer on 02.02.2018



at Rampura Phul, where he continued till April 2021. In April 2021, he was transferred to Arniwala, District Fazilka and no complaint was filed against him. He left the job of bank in August 2023 and the present complaint has been filed by the complainant after 10 months of quitting the job. He next submits that the petitioner has been falsely involved in the present case at the instance of the Manager of the Bank, who was inimical towards the present petitioner. Learned counsel further contends that the petitioner had deposited the entire amount collected by him from the members of the Society and had not embezzled any amount. ”

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has reiterated the submissions and further submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation may not be required.

4. Learned State counsel also submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for further investigation. He has also filed status report by way of an affidavit of the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division, Jalalabad, District Fazilka has been filed on behalf of the respondent-State and the same is taken on record.

5. In view of the above statement made by learned counsel for the parties, the interim order dated 27.02.2025 is made absolute. The petitioner shall continue to join the investigation, as and when



called by the Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 482 (2) of B.N.S.S.

01.04.2025.
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(N. S. SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No