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

CRM-M-49611-2025

Date of Decision: 17.11.2025

PRABHJEET SINGH @ PRABHA

..... Petitioner

*Versus***STATE OF PUNJAB**

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR

Present : Mr. L.S. Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Rahul Jindal, AAG, Punjab.

YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR, J. (Oral)

1. This is the second application under Section 483 of BNSS, 2023 for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.7 dated 07.02.2016, registered under Sections 307, 148 and 149 of IPC, 1860 Section 25 of Arms Act, 1959, Sections 21, 22 and 29 of NDPS Act, 1985, Section 3, 34 and 20 of IP Act and Section 14 of F Act, registered at Police Station Khem Karan, Distt. Tarn Taran.

2. In compliance of order dated 11.09.2025 passed by this Court, status report by way of affidavit dated 07.10.2025 of Preetinder Singh PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division Valtaha, Camp at Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran filed on behalf of the respondent-State is taken on record. Registry is direct to tag the same at an appropriate place.



3. Learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned State counsel have been heard and material collected by the police during investigation has been perused.

4. Petitioner was released on bail and was facing the trial but he had absented on 07.04.2022 and his arrest warrants were issued after cancellation of his bail. He was declared a proclaimed offender on 08.11.2022. Thereafter, he was arrested on 03.04.2023 and he is in custody since then. 14 out of 25 witnesses have been examined till date and, as such, the trial will certainly take a long time to conclude and no useful purpose shall be served by keeping him in custody any more. However, the Trial Court can impose stringent conditions to ensure his presence.

5. Having regard to the aforesaid factual position, but without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the bail application is allowed and petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned, on usual terms and conditions.

(YASHVIR SINGH RATHOR)
JUDGE

17.11.2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No