



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-50943-2025

Date of Decision : 18.11.2025

SONU SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AARADHNA SAWHNEY

Present: Mr. Vishal Sharda, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vishal Singh, AAG, Haryana.

AARADHNA SAWHNEY, J. (ORAL)

1. This petition for grant of anticipatory bail has been filed by petitioner, a co-accused in case bearing FIR No.123 dated 20.08.2025, registered against him at Police Station Odhan, District Dabwali, u/s 21(b), 61, 85 of NDPS Act.

2. Short reply dated 15.10.2025 by way of affidavit of Mr. Sandeep Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Kalanwali, District Sirsa, filed on behalf of the respondent-State has already been placed on record. In para 7 thereof, the factum of petitioner having joined the investigation has been mentioned. Learned State counsel, on the instructions of ASI Om Parkash, submits that petitioner is not needed for further investigations.

3. On 11.09.2025, following order was passed.

“Petitioner, an accused, in case FIR No.123 dated 20.08.2025 registered against him for commission of offences punishable under Section 21B/61/85 of the NDPS Act, at Police Station Odhan, District Dabwali, has filed the present petition for grant of anticipatory bail.

Learned counsel submits that the name of the petitioner cropped up in the disclosure statement of co-accused Jagbinder Singh @ Bindar, who was caught keeping in his illegal possession of 9 gram 610



milligram of Heroin (intermediate quantity). Learned counsel submits that said disclosure statement, in the absence of recovery of any other incriminating material, is not admissible in evidence. Continuing further, learned counsel submits that petitioner is not involved in any other case of like nature, except for a case under the Excise Act. Learned counsel submits that petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation as and when called for by the Investigating Officer.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Shweta Nahata, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of State of Haryana and seeks time to file detailed status report.

Adjourned to 18.11.2025.

In the meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation as and when required to do so by the Investigating Agency. In the event of his arrest, the petitioner shall be released on ad-interim bail, subject to his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer. The petitioner shall also be abide by all the conditions laid down under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023 (earlier Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.).”

- 4. Keeping in view the fact that petitioner has joined the investigation, interim bail granted vide order dated 11.09.2025 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS. 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.
- 5. The petition stands allowed.
- 6. Pending application, if any, also stands disposed of.

(AARADHNA SAWHNEY)
JUDGE

18.11.2025
Nisha Yadav

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No