



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

CRM-M-56226-2024

Date of decision: 09.01.2025

JASWINDER SINGH @ NAHMI

....PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Rahul, Advocate;
Mr. Simranjeet Singh, Advocate;
Ms. Hardeep Kaur, Advocate and
Mr. Lupil Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner

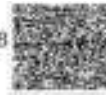
Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG, Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023, petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
15	13.02.2024	324, 323, 34 of IPC and Section 326 of IPC added later on vide rapat No.20 dated 05.04.2024	City Fazilka, District Fazilka.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the orders dated 12.11.2024 and 05.12.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide orders dated 12.11.2024 and 05.12.2024. The petitioner has also paid the cost imposed vide order dated 05.12.2024 and placed on record the copy of receipt dated 08.01.2025 in



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this regard.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Manjit Singh, intimates the Court that the petitioner has joined investigation and is neither required for further investigation nor for any custodial interrogation.

4. During the course of hearing on 12.11.2024, following order was passed:

“On asking for the relief, learned counsel for the petitioner interalia submits that earlier, neither the petitioner was named in the FIR (supra), nor any specific injury was attributed to the present petitioner. He further submits that after one and half month, i.e. on 07.04.2024, a supplementary statement was recorded, in which, specific allegation were attributed to the present petitioner. He also submits that the supplementary statement, which was recorded, is in fact, is the result of concoction. Finally, he submits that the co-accused, has already been extended the relief of interim anticipatory bail.

Notice of motion for 05.12.2024

Mr. Pardeep Bajaj, learned DAG, Punjab, waives service and accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State of Haryana.

In the meanwhile, in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on interim bail subject to his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall, however, join the investigation as and when called for and shall also abide by the conditions specified under Section 482(2) BNSS, 2023.”

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5. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation consequent to the orders dated 12.11.2024 and 05.12.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide orders 12.11.2024 and 05.12.2024 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023. 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.

6. The petition stands allowed.

7. It is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

09.01.2025
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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |