



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

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CRA-S-3004-2025

Date of Decision : 25.09.2025

GURJAAP SINGH ALIAS BITTA

.... PETITIONER

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

.... RESPONDENTS

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHAS MEHLA

Present : Mr.Naveen Batra, Advocate
for the appellant.

SUBHAS MEHLA, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer is for grant of anticipatory bail to the appellant in case bearing FIR No.153 dated 25.11.2017 registered under Section 294 of IPC at Police Station Bullowal, District Hoshiarpur and Section 3 of Scheduled Casts and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989) (for short, 'SC & ST Act') to be incorporated at the time of framing charges.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that the petitioner is ready to surrender himself before the trial Court and is not required for custodial interrogation by the Investigating Agency as the investigation has already been completed, the challan has been filed before the trial Court and now the case is fixed for framing of charges. Learned counsel further submitted that bail application of co-accused namely Kulwinder Singh has already been decided by this Court vide order dated 11.09.2025 in CRA-S-2831-2025.

3. Notice of motion.



4. Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab, accepted notice on behalf of respondent-State and submitted that if the petitioner will surrender himself before the trial Court then the trial Court will proceed in accordance with law.

5. Heard.

6. Keeping in view the contentions of learned counsel for the petitioner and the fact that appellant is not required for investigation purpose as final report has already been submitted in the Court in present case, co-accused namely Kulwinder Singh was directed to surrender before the trial Court, the present petitioner is also directed to appear and surrender himself before the trial Court on or before the next date of hearing and to move an application for bail. The trial Court is directed to decide the same in accordance with law on the same day.

7. Disposed of.

(SUBHAS MEHLA)
JUDGE

25.09.2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned	: Yes/No
Whether Reportable	: Yes/No