



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-56604-2024
Date of decision: 14.01.2025

CHHINDER KAURPETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF HARYANARESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. D.S. Virk, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Surender Singh, AAG, Haryana.

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
735	23.10.2024	21-B of NDPS Act	Rania, District Sirsa.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 11.12.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 11.12.2024.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Sunil, 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 11.12.2024, following order was passed:



“Heard.

2. *It is, inter alia, contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is not named in the FIR but has been nominated on the basis of alleged disclosure statement of co-accused Simarjit Kaur alias Jyoti from whom the recovery of 8 grams of heroin has been effected by the police and the petitioner has no concern with the said accused or with the transaction.*

3. *Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Sunil Kumar, Investigating Officer of the case, has submitted that except for the disclosure statement, nothing substantial has come against the petitioner.*

4. *Be it the case, without commenting on the merits of the case, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and in the event of her arrest, she is ordered to be released on interim bail on her furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. She shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023.*

5. *List on 08.01.2025.”*

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 order dated 11.12.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 11.12.2024 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; she will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

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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

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