



CRM-M-55269 of 2025 -1-

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

202

CRM-M-55269 of 2025
Date of Decision: 23.12.2025

Bobby @ Booby

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL

Present: Mr. Nitin Narula, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amritpal Singh, AAG, Punjab.

RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL, J (ORAL)

1. Through the instant petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (For short "BNSS"), the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.0023, dated 26.03.2025, under Sections 115(2), 118(1), 118(2), 191(3), 190 of BNS 2023, registered at Police Station Kotli, Surat Mallian, District Batala.

2. On 29.09.2025, following order had been passed: -

"Learned State counsel has stated that Section 118(2) had been added later on vide DDR No.16 dated 24.05.2025 and he has requested that Section 118(2) of BNS be added in the head note as well as in the prayer clause of the petition.

Registry is directed to do the needful.

Present petition has been filed under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023 for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in



CRM-M-55269 of 2025

-2-

case FIR No.0023, dated 26.03.2025, under Sections 115(2), 118(1), 118(2), 191(3), 190 of BNS 2023, registered at Police Station Kotli, Surat Mallian, District Batala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has inter alia contended that there is delay of about 13 days in lodging of the FIR. He also submitted that the injury falling under Section 118(2) of BNS is not attributed to the petitioner and injury attributed to the petitioner falls under Section 118(1) of BNS. Learned counsel also submitted the petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation.

Notice of motion.

Ms. Gagandeep Kaur, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and seeks time to file the status report.

List on 18.12.2025.

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

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 29.09.2025 passed by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

4. Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from SI Nishan Singh, has submitted that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for further investigation.

5. In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated 29.09.2025 is made absolute. The petitioner shall

CRM-M-55269 of 2025 -3-

continue to join investigation, as and when called by the Investigating Officer and shall also abide by the conditions as provided under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

23.12.2025
D.Bansal

(RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No