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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-58084-2024 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 17.01.2025

SUKHWINDER

Versus

....Petitioner(s)

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present : Mr. Gaurav Partap Singh Pathania, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

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

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
68	14.06.2024	379-B and 34 IPC	Sadar District Pathankot

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in
compliance to the order dated 12.12.2024 passed by this Court, the petitioner
has already joined the investigation and as such interim bail granted to the
petitioner may be confirmed.
3. Learned State counsel, on instructions received from ASI Sohan



Lal has intimated that the petitioner has joined investigation and is no more required for any custodial investigation in this case nor he is required for further investigation.

4. Heard.

5. During the course of hearing on 12.12.2024, the following order was passed:-

“Status report/reply dated 09.12.2024 in the form of an affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, (Rural), District Pathankot, has been filed. The same is taken on record. Copy thereof has been supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

2. Heard.

3. After hearing the respective submissions and perusing the record produced by ASI Balkar Singh, it transpires that the name of the petitioner has surfaced in the present case on account of disclosure statement of the co-accused.

4. Admittedly, the petitioner is not having any criminal antecedents.

5. Be it the case, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation within seven days from today and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

6. List on 17.01.2025.”

6. 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 12.12.2024 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 12.12.2024 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.

7. The petition stands allowed.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

17.01.2025
S.Sharma(syr)

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