



CRM-M-61302-2024
Date of decision: 10.03.2025

....PETITIONER

Versus

...RESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Mr. Aashish Paul, Advocate for the complainant.

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
146	26.10.2024	115 (2), 126 (2), 351 (2), 110 of BNS Act, 2023.	Amlloh, District Fatehgarh Sahib.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order 24.02.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 24.02.2025.

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



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4. Learned counsel for the complainant opposed the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner.

5. During the course of hearing on 24.02.2025, following order was passed:

“ 2. Heard.

3. It is categorically stated by learned counsel for the complainant that the matter has since been compromised between the parties with the intervention of respectables vide compromise deed dated 16.11.2024 (Annexure P-2), qua which quashing petition vide CRM-M-59008-2024 has already been filed before this Court, which is pending for 10.03.2025. He further submits that the complainant has no objection if the petitioner is allowed to join the investigation and if bail is granted to him.

4. The learned State counsel has not disputed the factum of compromise.

5. In view of the statement given by learned counsel for the complainant, be it the case, without commenting on the merits, 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 10.03.2025.

7. Investigating Officer of the case to remain present in Court along with record on that date. ”

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 24.02.2025 passed by this Court, interim bail

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granted vide order dated 24.02.2025 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.

- 7. The petition stands allowed.
- 8. 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

10.03.2025
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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |