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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-61067-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision : 17.02.2025

Brijesh Kumar ...Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana ...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: Ms. Jyoti Kumari, Advocate,
for Mr. Namit Khurana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Surender Singh, A.A.G., Haryana.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C,
the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR (Annexure P-1) as
under: -

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
152	18.04.2024	406, 420 & 120-B of IPC	Ladwa, District Kurukshetra

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in
compliance to the orders dated 14.01.2025 and 31.01.2025, the
petitioner has joined the investigation.

3. During the course of hearing on 14.01.2025, following
order had been passed: -

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“Compliance report dated 13.01.2025 filed in the form of an affidavit of Superintendent of Police Kurukshetra, District Kurukshetra, on behalf of respondent-State is taken on record.

Heard.

During the course of arguments, on a specific query put to ASI Manohar Lal, he admitted that there is no document on record to show any payment being made by the complainant to the present petitioner. He submits that, however, there are allegations of Rs.45,000/- paid in cash by the complainant to the petitioner.

Considering the facts and circumstances and without commenting on the merits, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and co-operate in the same. In the event of the arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on interim bail on 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) BNSS.

List on 31.01.2024.”

4. Learned State counsel on instructions received from ASI Mohan Lal, through *Pairvi* report, informs the Court that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is neither required for further investigation nor for any custodial interrogation.

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 orders dated 14.01.2025 & 31.01.2025 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide orders dated 14.01.2025 & 31.01.2025 are hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS. Further the petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice

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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.

- 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.

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(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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