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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision : 17.11.2025

KULWINDER KAUR PETITIONER

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB RESPONDENT

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KIRTI SINGH

Present: Mr.Parvinder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Aakanksha Gupta, AAG, Punjab.

KIRTI SINGH, J. (Oral)

1. Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNSS'), is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, in case FIR No. 0082 dated 11.7.2025, under Sections 126, 351(2), 115(2), 85 and 3(5) of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Banga District SBS Nagar.
2. Vide order dated 31.10.2025, the petitioner was directed to join investigation. The said order is reproduced hereinafter:-

“Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS, is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, in case FIR No. 0082 dated 11.7.2025, under Sections 126, 351(2), 115(2), 85 and 3(5) of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Banga District SBS Nagar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia submits that the petitioner, who is a 63 years old widow lady, is the sole



caretaker and natural guardian of her two minor grandsons. It is further submitted that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case on the statement of the complainant, who is claiming to be married to the son of the petitioner, whom the petitioner had disowned on 11.9.2024 (Annexure P-2). In fact, the petitioner was initially granted anticipatory bail by the learned Additional Sessions Judge, SBS Nagar on 21.7.2025. However, due to ill health she could not join the investigation within the prescribed period. The petitioner being an illiterate person could not understand the technicalities of the above said conditional order. It is submitted that the petitioner is ready to join investigation and cooperate with the investigating agency.

Notice of motion.

Served with an advance copy of the petition, Ms. Guramrit Kaur, DAG Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and seeks time to file reply.

Adjourned to 17.11.2025.

In the meantime, the petitioner shall join investigation before the Investigating Agency/Officer. He shall abide by the following conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS, 2023;-

- (1) That the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required to do so.*
- (2) That the petitioner shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts to the case so as to dissuade him from disclosing such facts to Court or to any police officer.*
- (3) That the petitioner shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.*

Needless to mention that the investigating agency/ officer shall continue with the investigation of the case in usual manner.”



3. Status report by way of affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Banga, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Nagar, has been filed by the State, which is taken on record.

4. Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Raghuvir Singh, submits that in compliance of order dated 31.10.2025, the petitioner has joined the investigation on 05.11.2025 and is not required for any further investigation.

5. Having considered the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the petition is allowed. Order dated 31.10.2025 passed by this Court, is hereby made absolute.

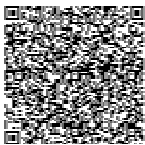
6. This order should not be treated as "blanket" order. It will not be read granting the petitioner(s) indefinite protection from arrest. It shall be confined to the FIR mentioned *ibid* and will not operate in respect of any other incident that involves commission of an offence.

7. This order does not in any manner limit or restrict the rights or duties of the police or investigating agency to investigate into the charges against the petitioner(s).

8. The accused-petitioner(s) shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him or her from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer.

9. The accused-petitioner(s) shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.

10. The accused-petitioner(s) shall join the investigation as and when called by the police.



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11. It will be open to the police or the investigating agency to move to this Court for a direction under Section 483(3) of BNSS, 2023 (erstwhile Section 439(2) of Cr.P.C.) to arrest the accused-petitioner(s), in the event of violation of any term, such as absconding, non-cooperating during investigation, evasion, intimidation or inducement to witnesses with a view to influence outcome of the investigation or trial.

12. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also stands disposed of.

(KIRTI SINGH)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No