

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2025:PHHC:177430



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CRM-M-64424-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision:22.12.2025

Harjit Kaur & another

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Manjot Singh Tiwana, Advocate for the petitioners.

Ms. Sakshi Bakshi, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Yagsimant Attri, Advocate for the complainant.

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Manisha Batra, J. (Oral).

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioners for grant of anticipatory bail in a cross case registered vide DDR No.19 dated 26.10.2025, registered under Sections 118, 115(2), 324(4), 191(3) read with Section 190 of the BNS (offence under Section 118 of the BNS was deleted and Section 118(1) of the BNS was added lateron) vide GD No.16 dated 28.10.2025 in FIR No.80, dated 25.10.2025, registered under Sections 326(f), 126(2), 324(4), 115(2), 351(2) and 3(5) of the BNS, at Police Station Sadar Budhlada, District Mansa.

2. Vide order dated 14.11.2025, passed by this Court, the petitioners were granted interim bail and directed to join investigation.

3. Power of attorney on behalf of the complainant has been filed.

4. Status report has been filed. Learned State counsel on

instructions from the Investigating Officer has submitted that the petitioners have joined investigation on 22.11.2025 and their custodial interrogation is not required.

5. This Court has heard the rival submissions made by learned counsel for the parties.

6. Given the nature of the allegations, this Court is of the considered opinion that there is no requirement of pre-trial incarceration of the petitioner. As such, a case for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner is made out. Accordingly, without commenting on merits of case, this petition is allowed and the order dated 14.11.2025 granting interim bail to the petitioners is made absolute, subject to compliance of conditions laid down in Section 482(2) of BNSS.

8. Since the main petition has been disposed of, pending application, if any, is rendered infructuous.

22.12.2025

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(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

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