

2026:PHHC:071380



**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

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**CRM-20289-2026 in/and
CRM-M-8083-2026
Date of decision: 07.05.2026**

SUNITA KAPOOR

.....Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present: - Mr. Vikram Preet Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Mohit Kapoor, Senior DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajesh Bhateja, Advocate
for the complainant

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

CRM-20289-2026

Application is allowed as prayed for and Annexures A-1 to A-4
are taken on record.

CRM-M-8083-2026

The petitioner has filed the instant petition under Section 482 of
the BNSS, 2023 for grant of pre-arrest bail in case bearing FIR No. 314
dated 28.11.2024 registered under Sections 406 and 420 of the Indian Penal

Code, 1860 at Police Station Tripuri, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that pursuant to the order dated 16.03.2026 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined investigation and her custodial interrogation is not required for investigation of the case.

Learned State counsel on instruction from concerned Investigating Officer corroborates the said averment and submits that the custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required for the purpose of investigation.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has joined the investigation and her custodial interrogation is not required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 16.03.2026 is made absolute.

However, if required, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 482 (2) BNSS.

MAY 07, 2026
Vishal Sharma

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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