



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-11476-2026

LOKESH KUMAR

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

.....RESPONDENT

DATE OF

DECISION: 10.03.2026

DATE OF UPLOADING:10.03.2026

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUMEET GOEL

Present: - Ms. Sonal Singh Godara, Advocate (Through V.C.) and
Mr. Sagar Panghal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Priyanka Sadar, Senior DAG, Haryana.

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SUMEET GOEL, J (ORAL)

The substantive prayer made in the petition reads as follows :-

“a. Allow the instant application filed under Section 483 of the Bhartiya Nyaya Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (439 Cr.P.C) and release the applicant/ accused herein i.e Lokesh Kumar on interim bail for one month till the conclusion of trial and in connection with FIR No. 339 of 2023, dated 27.12.2023 under Section 409, 420, 120-B IPC 1860, registered at Udyog Vihar Police Station, Gurugram subject to whatever conditions this Hon'ble Court may deem fit in the facts and circumstances.”

Notice of the petition in hand was issued on 27.02.2026.

Pursuant to the same, the State has filed reply dated 09.03.2026 by way of an affidavit of Vishal, HPS, Assistant Commissioner of Police, EOW-I and II, Gurugram today in Court, relevant extract thereof reads as under:-

“12. That so far as the relief of interim bail sought for by the petitioner is concerned, it is submitted that the verification regarding ailment of Sh. Ranbir Singh, father of the petitioner, was made from Manipal Hospital. Dr. Ashish Dagar, Manipal Hospitals, verified his certificate dated 16.02.2026 wherein he stated that Ranbir Singh is diagnosed with L5S1 parsdefect + listhemis forniamial stenosis. There is also a doubt of infection at

L5S1 as per MRI report. The doctor has further stated that this needs further evaluation and potential surgery. This is a major surgery and the patient will need attendant during stay at hospital and at home. The certificate dated 16.02.2026 of the Doctor is attached herewith as Annexure R-2.

13. That however, mother of the petitioner, other family members and relatives are there to take care of Sh. Ranbir Singh. Furthermore, the surgery to be performed upon Sh. Ranbir Singh is a scheduled surgery and not an emergency surgery. The real brother of the petitioner is also an accused and in judicial custody in the present FIR. Sister of the petitioner is married. At present father, mother, wife of the petitioner are living in the house of the petitioner.”

Keeping in view the entirety of the factual milieu of the case in hand; especially the factum that the medical condition of the father of the petitioner is critical; the said condition having been verified by the State and there being no other male member in the family of the patient-Ranbir Singh (father of the petitioner), this Court affords interim regular bail to the petitioner onwards from 11.03.2026 for a period of three weeks. The petitioner shall surrender back to the Jail Authorities after expiry of the above said period. The petitioner shall be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the concerned Chief Judicial Magistrate/Illaq Magistrate/Duty Magistrate. However, in addition to conditions that may be imposed by the concerned CJM/Duty Magistrate, the petitioner shall remain bound by the following conditions:-

- (i) The petitioner shall not mis-use the liberty granted.*
- (ii) The petitioner shall not tamper with any evidence, oral or documentary, during the trial.*
- (iii) The petitioner shall not absent himself on any date before the trial.*
- (iv) The petitioner shall not commit any offence while on bail.*
- (v) The petitioner shall deposit his passport, if any, with the trial Court.*
- (vi) The petitioner shall give his cell-phone number to the Investigating Officer/SHO of concerned Police Station and shall*

not change his cell-phone number without prior permission of the trial Court/Illaqa Magistrate.
(vii) The petitioner shall not in any manner try to delay the trial.

Apart from other conditions, the petitioner shall be required to furnish either a Fixed Deposit Receipt (FDR) or a bank guarantee Receipt for a sum of Rs.3 lakhs in the name of the concerned Court.

The petition stands allowed accordingly in the above said terms.

10.03.2026
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(SUMEET GOEL)
JUDGE

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