



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

CRM-M-11279-2026

Date of decision: 16.04.2026

RAMANDEEP SINGH @ RAMNA**....Petitioner****Versus****STATE OF PUNJAB****....Respondent****CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL**

Present:- Mr. Neeraj Jain, Advocate for
Mr. J.S. Dhaliwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Amritpal Singh Gill, DAG Punjab.

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RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL, J. (ORAL)

Through the instant petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (For short "BNSS"), the petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR No.120 dated 12.07.2025 under Section 105 of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Sadar Sri Muktsar Sahib, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 27.02.2026 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation.

3. On 27.02.2026, following order had been passed: -

“ Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.120 dated 12.07.2025 registered under Sections 105 of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, at Police Station Sadar Shri Muktsar Sahib, District Shri Muktsar Sahib.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case. He argued that the petitioner has no connection with the demise of Lakhvir Singh (son of the complainant). He further submitted that



the petitioner was not named in the FIR. It has also been contended that the present petitioner has been nominated in this case as an accused only on the basis of suspicion without any concrete evidence, that too only upon the supplementary statement of the complainant made on 16.07.2025. Further, co-accused Salinderjit Singh @ Neeta has already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, vide order dated 31.10.2025. No recovery is to be effected from the petitioner. Learned counsel has further submitted that the petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the investigating agency.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Amit Shukla, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State and seeks time to file status report in the matter.

Adjourned to 09.03.2026.

In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to join investigation within a week from today and would appear as and when required by the Investigating Officer and cooperate with the Investigating Agency. In the event of arrest, he shall be admitted to interim bail on furnishing of bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.”

4. Learned counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Harmeet Singh, has submitted that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is no longer required for further investigation.

5. In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the interim order dated 27.02.2026 is made absolute. The petitioner shall continue to join investigation, as and when called by the Investigating Officer and shall also abide by the conditions as provided under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

(RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL)
JUDGE

16.04.2026

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |