



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

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CRM-M-18278-2026 (O&M)

Date of decision: 21.04.2026

BHUPINDER SINGH

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present : Mr. JS Gill, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Gautam Kaile, DAG, Haryana.

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 BNSS, 2023, for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.70, dated 13.03.2026, under Sections 21B/61/85 NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Kalanwali, District Sirsa now Police District Dabwali.

2. On 06.04.2026, this Court had passed the following order:-

“Learned counsel contends that the name of the petitioner surfaced based on the disclosure statement of co-accused Lovepreet Singh @ Labbi, from whom non-commercial quantity of contraband, it being 06 gms 430 mgs of heroin was allegedly recovered. There is no evidence to connect him with the above co-accused. He relies on the judgment passed by Hon’ble the Supreme Court in the case of **Toofan Singh Vs. State of Tamil Nadu**, 2021 (1) RCR (Criminal) 1. He is not involved in any other case and he is ready and willing to join the investigation as and when required by the investigating agency and will cooperate.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. B. S. Saroha, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation on or before 10.04.2026. In the event of his arrest, he shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer, subject to compliance of conditions as enshrined under Section 482(2) BNSS.

However, it is clarified that if the petitioner does not join and cooperate with the Investigating Agency as required by the Arresting/Investigating Officer, this interim order shall be deemed to have been vacated.

Adjourned to 21.04.2026.”

3. Learned counsel submits that in pursuance of the afore-mentioned order, the petitioner has not only joined investigation but also fully cooperated with the investigating agency. He further submits that in case the investigating agency requires the petitioner to appear, he shall make himself available without demur.

4. Learned State counsel on instructions from the Investigating Officer affirms the factum of joining the investigation by the petitioner and cooperating with the investigating agency. He also submits that at this stage, the petitioner is not required for further custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the above and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, anticipatory bail petition filed by the petitioner is allowed and the order dated 06.04.2026 granting interim bail to him, is hereby made absolute, subject to compliance of conditions as specified under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

6. However, it is made clear that if the petitioner fails to join and cooperate with the investigating agency as and when required, the State would be at liberty to move an application for cancellation of the present anticipatory bail granted to him.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

21.04.2026

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