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

CRA-S-1969-2025

Date of decision: 16.02.2026

Jatinder Kaur

.... Appellant

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NAMIT KUMAR

Present: Mr. Manish Kansra Advocate, for
Mr. Raghav Soni, Advocate, for the appellant.

Mr. Satnampreet Singh Chauhan, DAG, Punjab.

NAMIT KUMAR, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer in the instant appeal filed in view of the Section 14-A of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, is for setting aside the order dated 21.05.2025 passed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar, vide which, the petition filed by the appellant, under Section 482 of BNSS, for grant of anticipatory bail, was dismissed; and for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.20, dated 06.03.2025, registered under Sections 3(5), 319(2), 351(2) of BNS, 2023, and Sections 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) of the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989, at Police Station 'C' Division, District Amritsar.

2. Learned counsel for the appellant has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 17.06.2025 passed by this Court, the appellant

has appeared before the Investigation Officer and has joined the investigation, and has also given the voice sample before the learned Sessions Judge, Amritsar.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions, has not disputed the aforesaid fact and has submitted that the appellant has joined the investigation. The appellant has given her voice sample before the learned Sessions Judge, Amritsar, and she is no more required for further investigation.

4. In view of the above, the present appeal is allowed and the impugned order dated 21.05.2025 passed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Amritsar, is set aside and the interim bail granted to the appellant, vide order dated 17.06.2025, is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) of Cr.P.C/482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

(NAMIT KUMAR)
JUDGE

16.02.2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No