



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

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CRM-M-48518-2025

Date of Decision: 18.03.2026

VICKY @ VIKRAM @ LAKHVINDER SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Harpreet Singh Jakhal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Roshandeep Singh A.A.G. Punjab.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.260 dated 19.11.2022, registered under Sections 452, 324, 323 and 34 of the IPC, at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka.
2. Vide order dated 01.09.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner was granted interim bail and was directed to join investigation.
3. Status report has been filed by learned State counsel and a copy thereof has been furnished to counsel opposite.
4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from the Investigating Officer, has submitted that the petitioner joined investigation on 09.09.2025 and is not required for custodial interrogation.
5. Keeping in view the nature of the allegations levelled against the petitioner, the role attributed to him, and the fact that the injuries



attributed to him have been opined to be simple in nature, this Court is of the considered opinion that the pre-trial incarceration of the petitioner is not required. As such, a case is made out for allowing the present petition. Accordingly, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 01.09.2025 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 482(2) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023.

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

March 18, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No