

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

Sr. No.207

**CRM-M-56032-2025
Date of Decision: 12.03.2026**

AJAY KUMAR SHUKLA

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MANDEEP PANNU

Present:- Mr. Arpan Sabharwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Hardeep Hans, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Shrome Garg, Advcoate
for respodnent No.2/complainant.

MANDEEP PANNU, J. (Oral)

1. The instant petition under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023 has been filed for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.138, dated 09.09.2025 (Annexure P-1), under Sections 316(4) and 318(2) of BNS, registered at Police Station Focal Point, Ludhiana, Punjab.
2. This Court vide order dated 19.01.2026, granted the concession of interim bail to the petitioner, subject to his joining the investigation.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in pursuance to the order dated 19.01.2026, the petitioner has joined the investigation.
4. Learned State counsel does not controvert the said fact and further submits that custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required.

5. In view of the above, the order dated 19.01.2026 is made absolute.
6. Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of.

12.03.2026
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(MANDEEP PANNU)
JUDGE

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