



CRM-M-56960-2025

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

108(2)

CRM-M-56960-2025(O&M)
Date of Decision: 19.02.2026

ARYAN GOYAL

.....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE KIRTI SINGH

Present: Mr.Naresh Jain, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr.Yadwinder Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr.Harshdeep Singh, Advocate and
Mr.Varun Singla, Advocate for
Mr.Lupil Gupta, Advocate
for the complainant.

KIRTI SINGH, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNSS'), is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, in case FIR No.119 dated 27.08.2025, under Sections 74, 115(2), 333, 191(1), 191(2), 190, 351(1) of BNS, registered at Police Station Gidderbaha District Shri Muktsar Sahib.
2. The following order was passed on 13.10.2025 by the Coordinate Bench of this Court-

"The present petition has been preferred seeking the grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No. 119 dated 27.08.2025, registered



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under Sections 74, 115(2), 333, 191(1), 191(2), 190, and 351(1) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, at Police Station Gidderbaha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was not present at the spot, which was duly videographed by the complainant side. It is further submitted that the petitioner's name has been entangled only to pressurize the family, as there exists a dispute regarding the division of property between the brothers.

Learned counsel also relies upon the order passed in Manju Goyal vs. State of Punjab, CRM-M-54421-2025, to submit that the parties have been called upon to complete their instructions as to whether they be relegated to mediation to explore the possibility of an amicable settlement, since the main dispute pertains to the division of property, which led to the registration of the present FIR.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Samra, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the State.

Although the order dated 25.09.2025 in CRM-M-54421-2025 inter alia records that it shall not be relied upon in other connected bail applications, however, considering the plea taken by the petitioner that he was not present at the spot, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation on 27.10.2025 at 10:00 A.M. before the Investigating Officer and to cooperate with the Investigating Agency thereafter.

In the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on interim bail, subject to furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall abide by the conditions envisaged under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023.

Adjourned to 31.10.2025.

It is made clear that this order shall not be used or considered by the learned Court below in any other connected bail application of any other co-accused."

Learned State counsel has filed a status report by way of an affidavit of



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Arun Mundan, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Gidderabaha, which is taken on record. It has been stated therein that the petitioner was declared innocent on 13.11.2025 after the investigation.

4. Having considered the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the petition is allowed.

5. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, also stands disposed of.

(KIRTI SINGH)
JUDGE

February 19, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No