

2026:PHHC:037264



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

**107**

**CRM-M-56873-2025**  
**Date of Decision: 11.03.2026**

**SARABJIT KAUR**

... Petitioner

**VERSUS**

**STATE OF PUNJAB**

... Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S. GREWAL.**

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Present: Ms. Manpreet Kaur, Advocate for Mr. Nirmaljeet Singh  
Sidhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG, Punjab.

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**H.S. GREWAL, J. (ORAL)**

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya  
Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking grant of anticipatory bail to the  
petitioner in FIR No.200 dated 25.09.2025 under Sections 420, 406 and 120-B  
of IPC registered at Police Station Sadar Khanna, District Ludhiana.

Vide order dated 09.10.2025 passed by a Coordinate Bench of this  
Court, the petitioner was directed to appear before the SHO/Investigating  
Officer to join the investigation and upon his doing so, he was ordered to be  
released on interim bail to the satisfaction of SHO/Investigating Agency.

Learned State Counsel has submitted that the petitioner has joined  
the investigation and cooperated with the Investigating Agency. It is also stated  
that as of now, the petitioner is not required for any custodial interrogation.

In view of the above, the interim order dated 09.10.2025 passed by this High Court is hereby made absolute.

Petition stands allowed accordingly.

However, it is clarified that the investigating authority on addition of an offence or offences may not proceed to arrest the accused/petitioner, but for arresting the accused/petitioner on such addition of offence or offences it needs to obtain an order to arrest the accused/petitioner from the Court which had granted the bail in view of the judgment passed by Hon'ble the Supreme Court in *Criminal Appeal No.830 of 2026* arising out of *SLP (Criminal) No.1536 of 2026* titled as *Sumit Versus State of Uttar Pradesh and another*.

MARCH 11, 2026.  
Rajender

(H.S. GREWAL)  
JUDGE

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