



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-63357-2025

Date of Decision: 11.03.2026

GURPREET SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Ms, Gaganpreet Kaur, Advocate for
Mr. Kuldip Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

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

Mr. Ajay Singh Pundir, Advocate for the complainant.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.152 dated 28.10.2025, registered under Sections 118(1), 118(2) (added later on vide order dated 17.02.2026), 3(5) of BNS 2023, at Police Station Sadar, Jalalabad, District Fazilka.
2. Vide order dated 17.02.2026 passed by this Court, the petitioner was granted interim bail and was directed to join investigation.
3. Learned State counsel on instructions from the Investigating Officer, has submitted that the petitioner has joined investigation on 09.03.2026 and he is not required for custodial interrogation.
4. Keeping in view the nature of the allegations, pre-trial incarceration of the petitioner is also not required. As such, a case is made out for allowing the present petition. Accordingly, the present petition is



allowed and the order dated 17.02.2026, granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 482(2) of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023.

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

March 11, 2026
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No