



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M No.65649 of 2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision :23.01.2026

Gursewak Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SURYA PARTAP SINGH

Present : Mr.P.S.Sekhon, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Jasdev Singh Thind, DAG, Punjab.

SURYA PARTAP SINGH, J. (Oral):

1. This is a petition for anticipatory bail filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, in a case arising out of FIR No.45 dated 30.04.2024, under Section 22 and 29 of Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, Police Station Zira, District Ferozepur.
2. Vide order dated 21.11.2025, the petitioner was admitted to interim anticipatory bail, subject to the condition of furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer.
3. It has been submitted by learned counsel for the petitioner that in compliance with above mentioned order, dated 21.11.2025, the petitioner has already joined investigation.
4. Reply by way of affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police Sub Division, Zira, District Ferozepur is already on record. The learned State Counsel has submitted that although in compliance with the order dated



21.11.2025, the petitioner has joined investigation, but he is not co-operating with the Investigating Agency and the recovery of contraband being carried by him is yet to be effected.

- 5. The record has been perused carefully.
- 6. A perusal of record shows that there is no *prima facie* evidence on record to show that the petitioner, who had allegedly fled from the spot, was actually carrying any contraband.
- 7. In addition to above, it is also pertinent to mention here that the quantity of contraband allegedly, being carried by all the four accused was 400 ‘Alprazolam’ tablets, and if the entire quantity is taken into consideration the above mentioned quantity does not come within the ambit of commercial quantity.
- 8. In view of above, the order dated 21.11.2025, whereby interim anticipatory bail was accorded to the petitioner, is hereby made absolute.
- 9. Present petition stands allowed, accordingly.

(SURYA PARTAP SINGH)
JUDGE

23.01.2026
Manoj Bhutani

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