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

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Date of decision: 09.02.2026

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...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

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

Present: Mr. Rajeev Dev Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Parneet Singh Pandher, Assistant A.G.Punjab

H.S.GREWAL,J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking anticipatory bail for the petitioner in FIR No.0134, dated 25.09.2025 under Sections 118(1) and 3(5) of BNS (Section 118(2) BNS added later on) registered at Police Station Division No.1, Pathankot, District Pathankot.

2. This Court, vide order dated 22.12.2025, had directed the petitioner to appear before the SHO/Investigating Officer and join investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was ordered to be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the SHO/Investigating Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 482(2) of the BNSS (erstwhile Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.)

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance of the order dated 22.12.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined and cooperated with the investigation.



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4. Learned State counsel states that the petitioner has joined the investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.
5. In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, the petition is allowed and the interim order dated 22.12.2025 is **made absolute**. The petitioner shall continue to join investigation, as and when called by the Investigating Officer and shall also abide by the conditions as provided under Section 482(2) of the BNSS.
6. Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

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(H.S.GREWAL)
JUDGE

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