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

CRM-M-40886-2025

Date of Decision: 09.10.2025

SANJIV KUMAR SHARMA

....Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANR.

....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SUKHVINDER KAUR

Present: Mr. Amandeep Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. P.S. Pandher, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Kuljit Singh, Advocate
for respondent No.2 – complainant.

SUKHVINDER KAUR, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 482 of BNSS for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.71 dated 03.04.2025, under Sections 406, 420 of IPC, registered at Police Station Sadar, Jalandhar, District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner as well as learned counsel for respondent No.2/complainant – Harpreet Kajla are ad idem that matter has been settled between the parties.

Petitioner has undertaken to pay the remaining amount of Rs.1 lakh within 02 months from today.

Learned counsel for respondent No.2 has submitted that he has no objection if the petitioner is granted the concession of anticipatory bail.

Keeping the above in view, custodial interrogation of the petitioner is not required for any purpose and no useful purpose would be served by sending the petitioner behind the bars.

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Accordingly, without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed. In the event of his arrest, the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, on his furnishing bail/surety bonds, to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/ Investigating Officer, subject to the conditions, as provided under Section 482(2) of BNSS. It will be open for the Investigating Officer to call the petitioner to join investigation, if so required, by issuing a written notice in this regard and he shall abide by the conditions mentioned in Section 482(2) of the BNSS.

However, nothing observed herein above shall be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case. The observations recorded above are only for the purpose of deciding the present bail application.

Pending application(s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

October 09, 2025
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(SUKHVINDER KAUR)
JUDGE

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