



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

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**CRM-M-2033-2025 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 12.03.2025**

BALVIR SINGH SANGHA

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present : Mr. Arshdeep Singh Brar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Ankit Grewal, DAG Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 , petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case DDR (Annexure P-2) registered in FIR No.105 dated 16.11.2024 under Sections 115(2), 118(1), 3(5), 351(3) of BNS at Police Station Samalsar, District Moga (Annexure P-1). The details of the DDR is as under:

DDR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
29	16.11.2024	118(1), 3(5), 351(3) and 118(2) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023	Samalsar, District Moga

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in compliance to the order dated 18.02.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such interim bail granted to the petitioner may be confirmed.



3. Learned State counsel, on instructions received from ASI Harwinder Singh has intimated that the petitioner has joined investigation and is no more required for any custodial investigation in this case nor he is required for further investigation.

4. Heard.

5. During the course of hearing on 18.02.2025, the following order was passed:-

“5. After considering the rival contentions and perusing the record, it is observed that as per the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petitioner has been nominated as one of the accused in the cross-version registered vide DDR (Annexure P-2) to the FIR (Annexure P-1), which was registered at the instance of the petitioner himself. He submits that this has been done as a counter-blast. Learned counsel refers to the record to submit that as per the allegations, the petitioner is alleged to have given iron-rod blow on the little finger of victim Gurdeep Singh, while in the medical record, the said injury is alleged to have been caused with a sharp-edged weapon.

6. Learned State counsel, on instructions from the Investigating Officer present in Court, could not explain the said discrepancy, at this stage.

7. Be it the case, without commenting on the merits, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation within seven days from today and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. She shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

8. List on 12.03.2025.”

6. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation consequent to the order dated 18.02.2025 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 18.02.2025 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS. Further the petitioner is



directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice for such purpose to be served by Investigating Officer of this case upon the petitioner; he will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

7. The petition stands allowed.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

12.03.2025

S.Sharma(syr)

i)	Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
ii)	Whether reportable?	Yes/No