

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2025:PHHC:118290



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CRM-M-35662-2025(O&M)
Date of decision:02.09.2025

Onkar Singh @ Johni

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present: Mr. Vaibhav Narang, Advocate for the petitioner,
(through V.C.).

Ms. Sakshi Bakshi, AAG, Punjab.

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Manisha Batra, J. (Oral).

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.60 dated 22.04.2025, registered under Sections 123, 304, 308, 332(C), 3(5) of the BNS, at Police Station Ghuman, District Batala.
2. Vide order dated 11.07.2025, 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 18.07.2025 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 11.07.2025, 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 (analogous to Section 438(2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure).

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

02.09.2025

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