



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

**CRM-M-52934-2024  
Date of decision: 30.01.2025**

**Kulbhusan Batra**

**.....Petitioner**

**versus**

**State of Punjab**

**..... Respondent**

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ**

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Present :- Mr. Simranjeet Singh Sarwara, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

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**RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)**

1. Prayer in the present petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.211 dated 01.10.2024, under Sections 406, 420 and 120-B of IPC, 1860, registered at Police Station Patran, District Patiala.
2. Vide order dated 23.10.2024, while granting interim protection, the petitioner was directed to join investigation.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in pursuance to the order passed by this Court, petitioner has joined the investigation and as such his interim bail may be made absolute.
4. Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Baljinder, has stated that petitioner has joined the investigation but he has not cooperated with the investigating agency.
5. In view of the above, interim order dated 23.10.2024 is made absolute subject to compliance of conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023. Petition stands allowed.

**30.01.2025**  
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**( RAJESH BHARDWAJ )  
JUDGE**

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