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

CRM-M-31878-2025

Date of decision: August 21, 2025

Sahil

....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUMEET GOEL**Present:** Mr. Kushager Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurmeet Singh, AAG Haryana.

SUMEET GOEL, J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNSS') for grant of concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.229 dated 01.05.2025, under Section 21(b) of the NDPS Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Sirsa City, District Sirsa.
2. On 09.06.2025, the following order was passed:

“Contends, inter alia, that petitioner was not named by the secret informer and alleged recovery effected from co-accused Rohit is 10.44 grams of Heroin (non-commercial quantity).

Notice of motion.

Mr. Kiran Pal Singh, learned AAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the respondent; seeks time to have instructions and/or to file written response in the matter.

Posted for 03.07.2025.

In the meanwhile, petitioner shall join investigation before the Investigating Officer; but he be not arrested till the next date of hearing.”



3. Learned State counsel (on instructions) has submitted that pursuant to the order dated 09.06.2025, the petitioner has indeed joined investigation, and his custodial interrogation is not required.

4. Having heard learned counsel for the parties and upon perusal of the record and in view of the stance of the State, the interim order dated 09.06.2025 is made absolute, subject to the conditions as enumerated under Section 482(2) of BNSS.

5. Petition stands allowed, accordingly.

6. This order should not be treated as “blanket” order. It will not be read granting petitioner indefinite protection from arrest. It shall be confined to the FIR mentioned *ibid* and will not operate in respect of any other incident that involves commission of an offence.

7. Liberty is reserved in favour of State/complainant to move for cancellation/recall of this order in case the petitioner violates any condition stipulated under Section 482(2) of BNSS or upon showing any other sufficient cause.

8. Needless to say that anything observed herein above shall not be construed to be an opinion on the merits of the case.

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

(SUMEET GOEL)
JUDGE

August 21, 2025

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No