



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

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**CRM-M-56938-2025
Decided on : 09.10.2025**

Tirlok Singh and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL

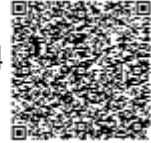
Present : Mr. Mandeep Kumar Dhot, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Ravinder Singh, DAG, Punjab
for the respondent-State.

RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL, J (ORAL)

1. Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioners in criminal complaint No.COMI-41-2023 dated 10.05.2023 titled 'Harsanjam Kaur Vs. Jagtar Singh and others' registered under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468 471 and 120-B of IPC, whereby the petitioners were summoned to face trial, vide order dated 07.02.2025.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that the petitioners have been falsely implicated in the said complaint at the instance of the complainant and they have not committed any offence. He argued that the petitioners have wrongly been summoned by the trial Court and the petitioners are also challenging the summoning order. He further argued that nothing is to



be recovered from the petitioners and all the offences are triable by Magistrate. It has also been contended that the petitioners have been summoned in a private complaint case and as such, they are not required for any custodial interrogation. He has further submitted that the petitioners are ready to join the proceedings before the trial Court. Since the petitioners have been summoned to face trial, therefore, they apprehend their arrest, on their appearance before the trial Court.

3. Notice of motion.

4. Learned State counsel, who has appeared on advance notice of the petition, has opposed the prayer for grant of anticipatory bail.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the record of the case.

6. In the present case, the petitioners have been summoned in a complaint case to face trial under Sections 420, 465, 467, 468, 471 and 120-B of IPC and as such, they are not required for any custodial interrogation and their presence is required only to face the trial. Moreover, the offences under which the petitioners have been summoned are triable by the Magistrate. That being so, no useful purpose would be served by sending the petitioners behind the bars.

7. Considering the facts and circumstances mentioned above and the fact that the co-accused Labh Singh has already been granted the concession of anticipatory bail by this Court vide order dated 05.09.2025, passed in CRM-M-48143 of 2025, the petitioners are directed to appear before the trial Court within a period of two weeks from today. It is further directed that in that event, if the petitioners appear before the trial Court, they shall be admitted to bail, on their furnishing bail/surety bonds, subject to the satisfaction of the concerned



trial Court.

8. In case the petitioners do not appear before the trial Court within the stipulated period of two weeks, the present order shall be deemed to be inoperative.

9. Nothing stated hereinabove shall be construed as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case and the trial would proceed independently and the observations made in the present petition are only for the purpose of adjudicating the present petition.

10. The present petition is disposed of accordingly.

09.10.2025

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**(RUPINDERJIT CHAHAL)
JUDGE**

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