



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

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**CRM-M-13283-2025(O&M)  
Date of Decision: 01.05.2025**

**HARDIT SINGH @ ANMOL**

...Petitioner

**VERSUS****STATE OF PUNJAB**

...Respondent

**CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA**

Present: Mr. Pawandeep Singh, Advocate and  
Mr. Yashdeep Shah, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Himani Arora, AAG, Punjab.

**MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)**

The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR mentioned below:-

<b>FIR No.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Police Station</b>	<b>Sections</b>
0002	02.01.2025	Basti Bawa Khel, District Police Commissionerate Jalandhar	118(1) of BNS, 2023, Offence under Section 118(2) having added later on

2. Vide order dated 11.03.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner was ordered to be released on interim bail and was directed to join investigation.

3. At this stage, learned State counsel as well as learned counsel for the petitioner have stated that offence under Section 118(2) of BNS during the course of investigation has been added. It is orally requested by learned counsel for the petitioner to add this offence in the head note as well

as prayer clause of the petition. It is ordered accordingly. Registry to do the needful.

4. Status report has been filed by respondent-State. The same is taken on record and be tagged at the appropriate place. Further submitted by learned State counsel that the petitioner has joined the investigation on 18.03.2025. Recovery of weapon of offence has also been effected from him.

5. In the considered opinion of this Court in the given circumstances, the pretrial incarceration of the petitioner is not required. As such, the present petition is allowed and the order dated 11.03.2025 granting interim bail to the petitioner, is made absolute, subject to compliance of usual terms and conditions requisite for grant of anticipatory bail.

6. It is also made clear that any observation made herein shall not be treated as an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

**01.05.2025**

Deepak Patwal

**( MANISHA BATRA )  
JUDGE**

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| 1. | <i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| 2. | <i>Whether reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |