



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-4685-2025

Date of decision: 27.05.2025

GURMEET SINGH @ GEETA

....PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...RESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Salil Dev Singh Bali, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Surender Singh, AAG, Haryana.

Mr. K.S. Brar, Advocate for the complainant.

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**SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)**

By way of present petition filed under Section 482 of BNSS,  
2023, petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in case FIR as under:

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
01	02.01.2025	105, 115, 3 (5) of BNS, 2023	Kalan Wali, District Dabwali, Haryana.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 15.05.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 15.05.2025.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions from SI Krishan, intimates the Court that the petitioner has joined investigation and is neither required for further investigation nor for any custodial interrogation.



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4. Learned counsel for the complainant opposed the submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner and prays for dismissal of the present petition.

5. During the course of hearing on 15.05.2025, following order was passed:

*“ Heard.*

*After considering the rival contentions and perusing the record, it transpires that no specific overt act is attributed to the petitioner and as submitted by learned State counsel the cause of death has been reported to be on account of sudden cardiac arrest. The petitioner is not having any criminal antecedents.*

*In these circumstances, it is deemed appropriate that the petitioner should join the investigation first, before deciding the petition on merits. Accordingly, without commenting on the merits of the case at this stage, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and co-operate in the same. In the event of the arrest of the petitioner, he shall be released on interim bail on his furnishing personal/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer/Investigating Officer. He shall also abide by conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) BNSS.*

*List on 27.05.2025. ”*

6. Keeping in view the above submissions made by learned State counsel and the fact that the petitioner had joined the investigation consequent to the order dated 15.05.2025 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 15.05.2025 is hereby confirmed, subject to conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023. Further the

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petitioner is directed to join investigation as and when required in future by way of written notice for such purpose to be served by Investigating Officer of this case upon the petitioner; he will not tamper with the evidence nor will influence the witnesses and will not leave the country without prior permission of the Court.

7. The petition stands allowed.

8. It is made clear that anything contained hereinabove shall not be construed to be an expression of opinion on the merits of the case.

**27.05.2025**

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**(SANJIV BERRY)  
JUDGE**

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| i)  | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable?        | Yes/No |