



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

**CRM-M-25058-2025
Date of decision: 27.05.2025**

SHUBHAM KUMAR

....PETITIONER

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. K.D. Sachdeva, DAG, Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J. (ORAL)

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

FIR No.	Dated	Sections	Police Station
197	12.10.2024	109, 324 (4), 191 (3), 190 of BNS, 2023 and 25, 27 of Arms Act.	Focal Point, District Police Commissionerate, Ludhiana.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in compliance to the order dated 08.05.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has already joined the investigation and as such prayed for confirming the interim bail granted vide order dated 08.05.2025.

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

4. During the course of hearing on 08.05.2025, following order



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was passed:

“ 2. It is, inter alia, contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner being innocent has been falsely implicated in this case by the police in connivance with the complainant. He contends that even as per the allegations no specific overt act is attributed to the petitioner except for raising a lalkara and interestingly no injury whatsoever has been caused to anyone in the alleged occurrence and therefore seeks concession of anticipatory bail.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Jatinderpal Singh, Sr. DAG, Punjab, present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the State-respondent and prays for time to file the status report/reply in the matter. Needful be done well before the date fixed with an advance copy to the counsel opposite.

5. Learned State counsel on the basis of pairvi report has not disputed the fact that no injury has been caused to anyone and only a lalkara is attributed to the petitioner.

6. Adjourned to 27.05.2025.

7. In the meanwhile, the petitioner is hereby directed to join investigation within seven days from today and in the event of his arrest, he is ordered to 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) of BNSS. ”

5. 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 08.05.2025 passed by this Court, interim bail granted vide order dated 08.05.2025 is hereby confirmed, subject to

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conditions as envisaged under Section 482 (2) of BNSS, 2023. Further the 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.

6. The petition stands allowed.

7. 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

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