

IN THE COURT OF SANJIV JOSHI, SESSIONS JUDGE,
FARIDKOT (UID No. PB0105)

PBFD010075022025



Case No. BA-2550-2025

Presented on : 17-12-2025
Registered on : 17-12-2025
Date of order : 19-12-2025
Pending for : 24-12-2025

Ram Achal, aged about 61 years, son of Ram Dhiraj, resident of Bholuwala Road, near Cement Factory, Gobind Nagar, Faridkot.

.... Applicant/accused

Versus

State

AND

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Case No. BA-2551-2025

Presented on : 17-12-2025
Registered on : 17-12-2025
Date of order : 19-12-2025
Pending for : 24-12-2025

Rajesh Kumar, aged about 38 years, son of Ram Achal, resident of near Bajaj Cement Factory, Bholuwala Road, Faridkot, Punjab

.... Applicant/accused

Versus

State of Punjab

AND

PBFD010075032025



Case No. BA-2552-2025

Presented on : 17-12-2025
Registered on : 17-12-2025
Date of order : 19-12-2025
Pending for : 24-12-2025

Shiv Kumar alias Shibu, aged about 41 years, son of Ram Achal, resident of Bholuwala Road, Gobind Nagar, Faridkot, Punjab.

.... Applicant/accused

Versus

State of Punjab

FIR No. 417 Dated 07.10.2025

Under Sections: 118 (1), 115 (2), 3 (5), 351 (3) BNS
and Section 238 BNS added later on vide GD No. 39 dated
08.10.2025.

Police Station: City Faridkot

Applications for bail under Section 482 of BNSS

Present: Shri Shivkartar Singh Sekhon, Advocate, proxy counsel
for applicants/accused.
Shri Surinder Sachdeva, Additional Public Prosecutor for
State.

ORDER

This common order of mine shall decide these three
applications for pre-arrest bail under section 482 of BNSS, filed in the
above noted FIR on behalf of the applicants.

2. Notice of the bail applications was issued to the State and
Shri Surinder Sachdeva, learned Additional Public Prosecutor put in
appearance on behalf of the State. Record has also been requisitioned.

3. This Court has heard learned counsel for the applicants/accused, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State and has gone through the record.

4. Learned counsel for the applicants/accused submitted that the applicants are innocent and have been falsely implicated in this case. Nothing is to be recovered from the applicants/accused. Custodial interrogation of the applicants/accused is not required. They are ready to join the investigation and cooperate with the investigating agency. Hence, it is prayed that the applications be allowed and applicants be given the concession of pre-arrest bail.

5. Contesting arguments, learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State submitted that the applicants/accused are not entitled to the benefit of anticipatory bail keeping in view the gravity and seriousness of allegations. He prayed for dismissal of the present bail applications.

6. After hearing the rival contentions of the parties and perusing the record, I am of the considered opinion that the applicants/accused are entitled to benefit of anticipatory bail. As per prosecution version, the present FIR has been registered at the instance of Pawan Kumar with the allegations that on 28.09.2025, at about 8.30 PM, light outside their house was on and he was standing in the street outside his house. At that time, their neighbours Ram Achal son of Ram Dhiraj and his son Rajesh Kumar were also standing in the street near their house. At that time, his father was returning home on their rickshaw. His father asked Ram Achal and

his son Rajesh Kumar to move a little aside, so that he could take his rickshaw inside the house. Upon this, both father and son got infuriated and started abusing his father. When he tried to intervene, they started hurling abuses at them loudly. In the meantime, complainant's elder brother Dalip Kumar also reached there. Thereafter, Shibu, son of Ram Achal also came out of his house carrying a *sabhal*, and got enraged and started saying that who were they to ask his father and brother to move aside and that whether the street belonged to their father. In the meantime, Shibu struck a blow with the iron rod at him, which hit him on the left side of his head. Shibu struck another blow with the *sabhal* which again hit him on his head, due to which he fell down. Thereafter, Ram Achal and Rajesh gave him beatings while he was lying on the ground and kicked him with their feet. On raising alarm, all the three assailants fled from the spot while extending threats. Thereafter, his brother Dalip Kumar and his father arranged a vehicle and got him admitted to the Civil Hospital, Faridkot. The motive behind the occurrence is that earlier also they had abused them on trivial matters and due to the said grudge, they assaulted him and caused injuries to him.

7. The allegations arise out of a personal dispute and the occurrence appears to be the result of a sudden quarrel. Even if the allegations in the complaint are assumed to be correct for the sake of argument, custodial interrogation of the applicants/accused is not required. The nature of the allegations does not, in any manner, warrant

custodial interrogation of the applicants/accused, rather only their formal interrogation is required for the purpose of joining the investigation for the offences involved in the FIR as well as offence under Section 238 of BNS added later on vide GD No.39 dated 08.10.2025. In these circumstances, the applicants are held entitled to the concession of anticipatory bail.

8. Consequently, the applicants/accused are hereby directed to join the investigation with the Investigating/Arresting Officer **within 07 days from today** and on their surrendering, they will be admitted on interim bail on furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds subject to the satisfaction of Investigating/Arresting Officer, failing which, this order shall stand vacated of interim bail to them. This order of interim bail to the applicants/accused is subject to the compliance of necessary provisions under law by them.

9. A copy of this order be placed on the files of bail applications bearing CIS Nos. BA-2551-2025 and BA-2552-2025.

10. Let compliance report and further progress report qua that investigation proceedings be awaited for 24.12.2025.

Dated: 19.12.2025.

(Sanjiv Joshi),
Sessions Judge,
Faridkot
(UID No.PB0105)

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