

CNR no. PBDL010135632026

CIS No: BA/5489 /2026

Date of Order: 8.7.2026

State

Versus

Rohit Pujari @ Rohit Bali aged about 36 years son of Sh. Parveen Bali resident of H no.25, Hira Nagar, Jagadhari, Yamuna Nagar, Haryana.

.....Applicant/Accused

[Bail application under Section 483 of BNSS]

Present: **Sh. Ricky Chodha Addl.PP for the State**
Sh. Anmol Jindal Adv. for the applicant/accused.

ORDER:-

1. The instant application for grant of bail under Section 483 of BNSS has been filed on behalf of the applicant/ accused in case FIR No.137 dated 30.5.2026, under Section 308(2) & 351(2) of BNS, P.S P.S Moti Nagar, Ludhiana.
2. Upon notice, Additional Public Prosecutor appeared on behalf of State and report from the police station has also been produced.
3. As per report duly forwarded by learned Addl. PP for the State and investigation record, the FIR of this case has been registered on the statement of complainant Manohar Lal whereby he has stated that he is engaged in the transport business. He has an office at Transport Nagar, near Samrala Chowk, Ludhiana. He has been using mobile number 93178-22121 for a long time. On 30.05.2026, while he was present at his residence at about 4:00 PM, he received a phone call on his mobile number 93178-22121 from mobile number 81682-70654. During the call, the caller asked for his name and identity and said, "Are you Manohar Lal? You have earned a lot of money through your transport business. I know everything about your family members, including their movements in and out of your house. If you do not pay me ₹5,00,000 (Five Lakh

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Rupees), I will shoot you and your family members dead. If you take this call lightly, you and your family will have to face serious consequences. If you inform the police about this matter, I will kill you and your family." When the complainant tried to reason with the caller, the caller also abused him using obscene language. The caller identified himself as Rohit Pujari, a resident of Haryana. During investigation, applicant /accused was arrested in this case on 31.5.2026.

4. The learned counsel for the applicant/accused has submitted that the applicant/accused is innocent and he has been falsely implicated in this case. The applicant/accused is in custody since his arrest. Nothing is to be recovered from him and ultimately prayed for allowing the bail application.

5. On the other hand, the learned Addl. PP for the State opposed the bail application on the ground that the applicant/accused has committed serious offence and prayed for dismissing the bail application.

6. I have heard Ld. counsel for the applicant/accused and Ld. Addl. PP for the state and have gone through the record.

7. The applicant/accused is in judicial custody since 31.5.2026. He is no more required for custodial investigation. The presentation of challan and conclusion of trial shall take considerable time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping him in custody and rather he will be a burden on the state exchequer.

8. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of this case. Without commenting anything merits of the case, this court is of the considered view that the bail is the rule of law and jail is an exception to the same. Applicant/accused is ordered to be released on bail u on furnishing the bail/ surety bonds to the tune of ₹50,000/- with one surety in the like amount to the satisfaction of the learned Trial Court/Duty Magistrate subject to following conditions:-

- 1). That the applicant/accused will not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person

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acquainted with the facts of case so as to dissuade his/her from disclosing such facts to the court or to any police officer.

2). That the applicant/ accused will not leave the territory of India without prior permission of the court.

Police record be returned. Bail application be consigned to the record room.

Announced in open court
on: **8th July, 2026**

Deepak Spal SG-I*

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Note:- This order has been directly dictated on computer.

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