

IN THE COURT OF TPS RANDHAWA, ADDL. SESSIONS
JUDGE, MOHALI. (UID NO.PB0256)

(Duty Judge)
Case Details

Case Type	Bail Application
Regn. No.	BA-1414-2026
CNR No.	PBSA01-004800-2026
Date of order	09.06.2026

Brijesh Kumar aged about 32 years son of Sh. Arun Kumar, resident of Village Kanina, District Mahendergarh, Haryana.

...Applicant.

Versus

1. State of Punjab
2. Station House Officer, Police Station Women, SAS Nagar.
3. Nancy Sharma wife of Brijesh Kumar, resident of Block – B, Flat No. 303, Maya Garden, Phase-1, VIP Road, Zirakpur, SAS Nagar, Punjab.

...Respondents.

FIR No. 0007 dated 24.03.2026
U/s. 85, 316(2) of BNS
Police Station: Women, (Mohali).

Anticipatory Bail application under Section 482 BNSS.

Present: Sh. Dinesh Kumar Yadav, Advocate for applicant/accused
Sh. H.S. Romana, Additional PP for the state
Sh. Harbhinder Singh, Adv, counsel for complainant.

ORDER:-

1. File put up before me as the learned Presiding Officer is availing summer vacation.
2. Applicant/accused has filed the present application under Section 482 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (BNSS) for grant of anticipatory bail.
3. Report of Ahlmad received that no bail application qua the same applicant is pending or decided by by court.

4. Sh. Harbhinder Singh, Advocate filed power of attorney on behalf of the complainant.

5. Notice of bail application was given to I.O./SHO and SI Gurdev Singh, No. 353/SAS Nagar, now posted at Police Station Women Cell, Mohali appeared and suffered a separate statement that this is the first anticipatory bail application filed by the applicant/accused. No other offence has been added in the present case. No other FIR is found to be registered against the applicant/accused. Custodial interrogation of applicant/accused is required to recover the entire *istri dhan* articles. He has only returned 9 items during mediation proceedings and remaining items are yet to be recovered.

6. The brief facts are that the present FIR was registered on the complaint filed by Nancy Sharma with the allegations that she was married with Brijesh Kumar on 19.11.2018. Her parents had spent sufficient amount on her marriage beyond their capacity. But soon after the marriage, her mother-in-law Usha Devi and husband Brijesh Kumar started harassing her on account of dowry and her husband demanded luxury car. Her mother-in-law and her husband demanded ₹5 lacs in cash which was paid by her parents. After birth of daughter, accused did not take care of her and her husband pressurized her to have second child. She was physically assaulted by her mother-in-law. After some time, she started residing with her husband in Sikar in rented accommodation. For taking accommodation on rent her parents paid ₹2,30,000/- in cash to accused. Accused used to remain under the influence of liquor all the time and he used to gamble Online and he squandered away ₹2,30,000/- which were given by her parents. He used to force complainant to borrow money from her relatives for staking the same in gambling and when she refused, she used to be beat up. He forced her to consume liquor and used to make physical relations forcibly. He kept on demanding the car and flat from her parents and her health deteriorated and she went into depression. Ultimately she was thrown out of the matrimonial home on 25.05.2025 by her husband and mother-in-law. She was admitted in hospital at Zirakpur by her parents. Her parents spent ₹65 lacs on her marriage but still accused were not satisfied. On the above complaint, inquiry was conducted and it was found that accused Brijesh Kumar had been harassing and maltreating the

complainant under influence of liquor for dowry and had been wasting away his salary in Online gambling and has also misappropriated the *istri dhan* of complainant. As such, FIR under Section 85, 316 (2) BNS was registered against the accused Brijesh Kumar.

7. Counsel for the applicant/accused has argued that applicant/accused has been falsely implicated. He is ready to pay the maintenance to the complainant and his daughter. All the *istri dhan* articles have been returned during mediation proceedings. Nothing is to be recovered from the applicant/accused. So he prayed that bail application be allowed.

8. On the other hand, learned counsel for the complainant Sh. Harbhinder Singh, Advocate alongwith learned Addl. PP for the state have argued that applicant/accused has been harassing and maltreating the complainant and her daughter repeatedly. He used to abuse the complainant in front of small child under the influence of liquor. Father of complainant is having audio recording in which applicant is heard hurling filthy abuses to the complainant. There is a photograph in which the applicant is seen sitting in just underwear in front of his small daughter. Remaining *istri dhan* articles are yet to be recovered from the possession of the applicant/accused. So it was prayed that bail application be dismissed.

9. Rival contentions heard and record perused.

10. Allegations against the applicant/accused are that he used to maltreat, harass and beat up the complainant under influence of liquor. There were persistent demands for car and flat. He has been wasting away his salary in online gambling. He has misappropriated *istri dhan* articles of the complainant. In an audio recording which was played in the court by the father of the complainant, applicant is heard hurling filthy abuses to the complainant under the influence of liquor. In a photograph which was produced by father of complainant, applicant is seen sitting in an underwear in front of his minor daughter. Though some of the *istri dhan* articles are stated to have been returned during the mediation proceedings, but the remaining *istri dhan* articles are allegedly in possession of the applicant/accused and same are yet to be recovered.

Hence, in view of the allegations of physical abuse, act and conduct of the applicant/accused and also keeping in view the fact that some of the

istridhan articles are yet to be recovered, this Court is of the considered opinion that applicant/accused does not deserve to be released on anticipatory bail.

Resultantly, present bail application stands dismissed. Police brief be returned. File be sent back to the concerned learned court for the purpose of consignment.

**Pronounced in open Court.
Dated:09.06.2026.**

Bhupinder Singh, Stenographer-II

**(TPS Randhawa),
Addl. Sessions Judge,
(Duty Judge)
SAS Nagar : UID no.PB0256**