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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision:27.03.2026

AnmolPetitioner

Versus

State of HaryanaRespondent

CORAM: HON’BLE MR. JUSTICE AMAN CHAUDHARY

Present: Mr. Sumeet Singh Brar, Advocate, for the petitioner.
Mr. B. S. Saroa, DAG, Haryana.

AMAN CHAUDHARY, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of the BNSS, 2023 for grant of concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.175 dated 12.07.2025 under Section 21(B) of NDPS Act registered at Police Station Ding, District Sirsa.

2. On 24.12.2025, this Court had passed the following order:-

“1. Prayer in this petition, filed under Section 482 of the BNSS,2023 (earlier Section 438 Cr.P.C.), is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, who has been booked in a criminal case arising out of First Information Report, as detailed hereunder:-

Name & age of Petitioner (s)	FIR No.	Date	Section(s)	Police Station	District
Anmol, aged about 25 years	175	12.07.2025	21(B) of NDPS Act	Ding	Sirsa



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2. Learned counsel for the petitioner, inter alia, contends that while the police party was on patrol duty to check crime, accused, namely Jagmol son of Harbail Singh, was intercepted while riding a black coloured Hero Splendor Plus motorcycle, which did not bear a registration number either on the front or the rear side. Upon being apprehended and questioned by the members of the police party, the said accused allegedly disclosed that a black coloured waxy envelope containing chitta (heroin) was concealed in the visor of the motorcycle.

Upon recovery and weighing, the contraband was found to be 15 grams and 04 milligrams. During further inquiry, the said accused allegedly disclosed that the recovered chitta had been supplied to him by his elder brother, namely Anmol (petitioner herein). On the basis of the said disclosure statement, petitioner has been arrayed as an accused in the present case.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner has been falsely implicated in the present case, as he is already known to the police party on account of his alleged involvement in an earlier case, i.e. FIR No.156 dated 01.09.2021 under Section 21 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Ding, District Sirsa.

It is further submitted that petitioner is ready and willing to join the investigation and to fully cooperate with the investigating agency, provided he is protected from arrest by this Court. Thus, counsel prays for grant of concession of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in the present case.

4. Notice of motion.

5. On advance notice, Mr. Kanwar Sanjiv Kumar, AAG, Haryana, puts in appearance on behalf of the respondent – State, and seeks some time to file status report in the matter.

6. Adjourned to 12.03.2026.



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7. Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation as and when required to do so by the Investigating Agency. In the event of his arrest, the petitioner shall be released on ad-interim bail, subject to his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of the Arresting Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by all the conditions laid down under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023 (earlier Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.).

8. Besides, it is directed that petitioner would hand over his passport to the Investigating Agency or to Court concerned, if he possesses. Otherwise, would submit an affidavit, disclosing the fact that he does not possess any passport.

It is also directed that before leaving country any time during trial, petitioner would seek prior permission of the Court.”

3. Learned counsel submits that in pursuance of the aforementioned order, the petitioner has joined investigation. He further submits that in case the investigating agency requires the petitioner to appear, she shall make himself available without demur.

4. Learned State counsel, on instructions, submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation. He also submits that at this stage, the petitioner is not required for further custodial interrogation.

5. In view of the above and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, anticipatory bail petition filed by the petitioner is allowed and the order dated 24.12.2025 granting interim bail to him, is hereby made absolute, subject to compliance of conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. (now 482(2) of BNSS, 2023)



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6. However, it is made clear that if the petitioner fails to join and cooperate with the investigating agency as and when required, the State would be at liberty to move an application for cancellation of the present anticipatory bail granted to him.

(AMAN CHAUDHARY)
JUDGE

March 27, 2026

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Whether speaking

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Whether reportable

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