

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G SPetition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No.5116/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 13-02-2026 in CRMM No. 65030/2025 passed by the High Court of Punjab & Haryana at Chandigarh]

BALWANT SINGH

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ANR.

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION)

Date : 25-03-2026 This petition was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE J.B. PARDIWALA

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIJAY BISHNOI

For Petitioner(s) :

Mr. Nidhesh Gupta, Sr. Adv.

Mr. Madhav Gupta, Adv.

Mr. G. Balaji, AOR

For Respondent(s) :

Mr. Siddharth Sharma, Adv.

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following
O R D E R

1. Heard Mr. Nidhesh Gupta, the learned Senior counsel appearing for the petitioner.
2. Issue notice, returnable in two weeks.
3. Mr. Siddharth Sharma, the learned counsel waives service of notice for and on behalf of the State of Punjab.
4. Let notice be issued to the Respondent No.2 - complainant.
5. Dasti service, in addition, is permitted
6. In the meantime, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner.
7. We direct the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer for the purpose of interrogation. However, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner.

(VISHAL ANAND)
ASTT. REGISTRAR-cum-PS

(POOJA SHARMA)
COURT MASTER (NSH)