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GURCHARAN SINGH
V/S
STATE OF PUNJAB

Present: Mr. Naresh Jain, Advocate with
Mr. Yadwinder Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner(s).

This is a petition for anticipatory bail filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS), 2023 in case bearing FIR No.129 dated 17.12.2024 under Sections 319(2), 318(4), 316(2), 336(2), 338, 336(3), 340(2) BNS, 2023 registered at Police Station Hathur, District Ludhiana Rural, Punjab.

The case of the prosecution is that the petitioner has introduced one Nirmal Singh to the complainant for a land deal in which Rs.15 lakhs were paid in cash allegedly through the present petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner himself did not personally know the accused-Nirmal Singh as he was only acquainted with him. It is further stated that the petitioner had only introduced the accused-Nirmal Singh through property dealers namely, Jagjeet Singh and Jasmeet Singh, who also had accepted commission for the said deal. He further contends that from a bare perusal of enquiry in the present FIR, it reflects that no amount was given to the petitioner. He further states that the petitioner is willing and ready to join the investigation.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Amandeep Singh Samra, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and seeks time to file reply.

May do so positively before the next date of hearing with a copy advance to the learned counsel opposite.

Adjourned to 31.07.2025.

In the meantime, the petitioner is directed to appear before the SHO/Investigating Officer as and when called upon to join investigation and in the event of his arrest, he shall be released on interim bail on his furnishing bail bonds to the satisfaction of SHO/Investigating Agency, subject to the following conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of the BNSS [erstwhile Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.]:-

- i) that the petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation by a police officer as and when required;
- ii) that the petitioner shall not, directly or indirectly, make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade him/her from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer;
- iii) that the petitioner shall not leave India without the prior permission of the Court;
- iv) such other condition as may be imposed under sub-section (3) of Section 480, as if the bail were granted under that section.

14th May, 2025

Sonia Puri

**(H.S. GREWAL)
JUDGE**