IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-1092-2015
Date of Decision: February 16, 2015

Joga Ram

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE NARESH KUMAR SANGHI

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Shilesh Gupta, Addl. AG, Punjab,
for the respondent.

NARESH KUMAR SANGHI, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition, filed under Section 439, Cr.P.C., is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner, Joga Ram, son of Deraj, resident of Heeran Di Tahni, Police Station, Girra, District Badmer (Rajasthan), who has been booked for having committed the offence punishable under Section 18 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 (for brevity, 'the NDPS Act'), in a case arising out of FIR No. 46, dated 14.6.2013, registered at Police Station, Kheri Gandian, District Patiala.

The case was called twice, but no one has proposed to appear for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the State on instructions from ASI Sukhdev Singh of Police Station, Kheri Gandian, District Patiala, submits that the prosecution has already led its entire evidence and the case before learned Trial Court is now fixed for leading the defence evidence. He further contends that even otherwise

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five kilograms Opium of commercial quantity was recovered from the petitioner and, as such, he is not entitled to bail as per Section 37 of the NDPS Act.

During dictation of the present order, Mr. Rakesh Gupta, Advocate, has put in appearance for the petitioner and prays for withdrawal of the present petition.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

(NARESH KUMAR SANGHI)
JUDGE

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