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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-21780 of 2015

Date of decision: August 13, 2015

Pappu Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SABINA

Present: Mr. A.S. Cheema, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S. Sidhu, AAG Punjab.

SABINA, J

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.37 dated 30.05.2015, under Section 22 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substance Act, 1985 ('Act' for short), registered at Police Station Jaurkian, District Mansa.

While issuing notice of motion, following order was passed by this Court on 08.07.2015:-

“Learned counsel for the petitioner inter-alia contends that petitioner was not arrested at the spot and recovery of contraband if any has already been effected from his co-accused. Moreover, identity of petitioner is allegedly disclosed by his co-accused. It is a debatable question as to whether same is admissible in evidence or not.

Notice of motion for 13.08.2015.

In the meantime, in the event of arrest petitioner shall be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating Officer. He shall join the

investigation as and when required by the Investigating Officer. He shall also comply with the other conditions as envisaged under Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.”

Learned State counsel who is assisted by Assistant Sub Inspector Shinder Singh has submitted that the petitioner has joined investigation. On a query put by this Court, learned State counsel has further submitted that the petitioner is not involved in any other case under the Act.

Accordingly, interim bail granted by this Court to the petitioner vide order dated 08.07.2015, is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

**(SABINA)
JUDGE**

August 13, 2015
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