

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

**CRM No. 32249 of 2015 in/and
CRM-M-No. 22688 of 2015**

Date of decision: 01.10.2015

Harjit Singh @ Jaggi

-----Petitioner (s)

V/s

State of Punjab

-----Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

1. Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?
2. To be referred to reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present:- Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J.(Oral)

CRM No. 32249 of 2015

This is an application for placing on record the correct translated copy of FIR No. 28 dated 08.02.2015 (Annexure P-1), as the original translated version of the FIR could not be placed on record due to some inadvertent mistake.

Application is allowed. The correct translated copy of FIR No. 28 dated 08.02.2015 (Annexure P-1) ordered to be taken on record.

CRM-M-No. 22688 of 2015

Prayer made in the present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No. 28, dated 08.02.2015 for offence under Section 22 of Narcotic Drugs and

Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 (for brevity, “the Act”), registered at Police Station Tanda, District Hoshiarpur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegation against the petitioner is that he was found in possession of 60 grams of intoxicant powder and he in custody since 08.02.2015. The petitioner is a young boy about 19 years of age and there is no other case against him except the present one.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI-Madan Mohan, submits that in the present case, the challan has not been presented, as the chemical report is still awaited.

Taking into consideration the fact that the trial will take sufficient long time to conclude and the fate of alleged recovery is still to be ascertained and also the fact that there is no other case against the petitioner, the present petition is allowed.

Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail, subject to his furnishing bail bond/surety bond to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate, Hoshiarpur.

However, It is made clear that in future, if the petitioner is found involved in any other case of similar nature, the prosecution shall be at liberty to seek cancellation of his bail.

October 01, 2015

Anjal

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE