

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

CRM-M-31140 of 2015.

Decided on:-05.10.2015.

Balveer Singh @ Thehla.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

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. Chandan Singh Rana, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.36 dated 2.6.2015 under Section 15 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 (for short, the NDPS Act) registered at Police Station Dharamgarh, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged quantity of 52 Kgs. of poppy husk, which is otherwise commercial quantity, is marginally higher than the non-commercial quantity and the petitioner is in custody since 2.6.2015. He further contends that there is no other case pending against the petitioner.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Gursewak Singh, does not dispute the aforesaid facts.

Considering the fact that the alleged recovery of poppy husk is

marginally higher than the non-commercial quantity, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is admitted to regular bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

It is made clear that the observations made hereinabove shall not be construed as reflection of any opinion on the merits of the main case and the trial Court shall decide the case on the basis of availability of evidence.

October 05, 2015
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE