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

CRM-M-44121 of 2014

Date of decision: January 06, 2015

Balwinder Singh @ Billa

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SABINA

Present: Mr. Vikas Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SABINA, J

Petitioner has filed this petition under 438 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.142 dated 05.08.2012, under Sections 21, 22 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substance Act, 1985 ('Act' for short), registered at Police Station Jhabhal, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that petitioner was advised bed-rest for a week starting from 03.11.2014 as he was suffering from some heart problem and due to this reason, he could not appear before the trial Court on the date fixed, i.e. 05.11.2014. Petitioner had been regularly appearing before the trial Court and no prosecution witness has been examined so far. Petitioner is not involved in any other case under the Act.

In view of the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, this petition is disposed of with a direction that in case petitioner surrenders before the trial Court within one week from today, he be released on bail subject to its satisfaction.

January 06, 2015

**(SABINA)
JUDGE**