

Sr. No. 226
IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM No. M-1283 of 2016
Date of decision: 19.01.2016

Harjinder Singh @ Raji

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. Naveen Bawa, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. K.D.Sachdeva, Additional A.G.Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL)

Present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking benefit of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.122 dated 04.05.2015, under Sections 22/61/85 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act (for short 'NDPS Act'), registered at Police Station Division No.5, Civil Lines, Ludhiana.

Even though the alleged recovery from the petitioner is of 20 grams of heroin and which would otherwise be construed as a non-commercial quantity yet this Court is not inclined to grant benefit of regular bail to the petitioner.

The petitioner has already been convicted in case in FIR No.306 dated 08.12.2006 under the NDPS Act and was sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of 12 years. The present recovery is stated to have been effected while petitioner was on parole.

Petition dismissed.

January 19, 2016

(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE