

224 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-17439-2016
Date of decision: 13.07.2016

Prem Parkash

..... Petitioner

VERSUS

State of Haryana

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE M.M.S. BEDI

Present: Mr.Sandeep Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. G.S.Salwara, DAG, Haryana.

M.M.S. BEDI, J.(Oral)

Petitioner seeks concession of regular bail in a case registered on the basis of a secret information to the effect that wheat belonging to FCI loaded in the trucks which was required to be transported to CONFED was being diverted to UP for sale in open market illegally for unlawful profit. On the basis of information, naka was laid. Two trucks were found carrying 272 quintals and 190 quintals of wheat respectively.

The recovery has already been effected. The petitioner has been in custody w.e.f. 15.02.2016. The petitioner was employed as a Storekeeper of FCI and was responsible for the appropriate storage of the wheat which was allegedly taken out of the godown.

In the aforesaid circumstances, the petitioner can be granted the concession of bail as challan has also been presented and the trial is likely to take long time. No useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner in custody during the entire period of trial.

The petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE

July 13, 2016
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