

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

**CRL. MISC. No.M-2161 OF 2016
DATE OF DECISION : 17th AUGUST, 2016**

Bhola Ram

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A. B. CHAUDHARI

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Present : Mr. Raj Kumar Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Rajni Gupta, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

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A. B. CHAUDHARI, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in FIR No.48 dated 14.05.2015 under Sections 18/25/29/61/85 of NDPS Act and Section 473 IPC registered at Police Station Sadar SBS Nagar, District SBS Nagar.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

Petitioner is in jail since May, 2015 in the FIR arising out of heavy commercial quantity of the narcotic substance.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Avtar Singh, submits that one witness has already been examined and the other material witnesses which are few in number would also be examined.

In my opinion, the petitioner has been in jail for the last one and half year and since the trial has commenced it will be appropriate to

direct the trial Court to complete the delay within a period of three months from today.

The petition is disposed of accordingly. Plea for bail is not entertained.

17th AUGUST, 2016
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(A. B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE