

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

CRM-M No.36746 of 2015

Decided on: 07.01.2016

JAGRAJ SINGH

. . . Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

. . . Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA

Present: Mr. Hargobinder Singh Gill, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Daljeet Singh Virk, Assistant A.G., Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Cr.P.C. praying for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.37 dated 09.07.2015, under Section 18/61/85 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station GRP, Pathankot.

As per prosecution version on 9.07.2015, patrolling and checking was being conducted at Railway Station, Pathankot and at that point of time, one person of the name of Yamuna Lal was

CRM-M No.36746 of 2015

accosted and from the bag in his possession recovery of opium weighing 1 kilogram and 200 grams was made.

It so transpires that Yamuna Lal has suffered a disclosure statement that he had received such assignment from one Shiv Lal of the State of Madhya Pradesh and who in turn had indicated a mobile number i.e. 9872967698 upon which contact was to be established and delivery was to be made.

Learned State counsel apprises the Court that during the course of investigation the afore noticed mobile number has been found to be in the name of Jasraj Singh. State counsel further submits that even though the petitioner is identifying himself as Jagraj Singh, but upon due verification it has been found that the identity proof and the father's name of both Jagraj Singh and Jasraj Singh are the same.

In the light of such heavy recovery and the possibility of involvement of the present petitioner, this Court does not find any infirmity in the order dated 13.08.2015 passed by learned Addl. Sessions Judge, Pathankot in declining concession of the pre-arrest bail.

Petition is dismissed.

[TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA]
JUDGE

07.01.2016
sachin