

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

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**CRM-M-39664-2015
Date of Decision: January 14, 2016**

HARMESH SINGH @ MESHI @ KALA	PETITIONER
VERSUS	
STATE OF PUNJAB	RESPONDENT

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

Present: Mr.Ahok Giri, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr.Jashan Preet Singh, AAG, Punjab.

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

Petitioner is one of the five accused who managed to escape when the truck carrying 100 bags of poppy husk was intercepted. Five co-accused of the petitioner were arrested from the spot. Two of the accused who allegedly escaped have been granted concession of pre-arrest of bail by this Court.

The petitioner seeks concession of regular bail. He has been in custody w.e.f. 21.11.2014, having been arrested after two years from the date of recovery.

On asking of the Court, it has been informed by the State counsel that the petitioner is involved in four other case under the NDPS Act.

Taking into consideration the totality of the circumstances, it appears that the identity of the petitioner in this case would be a debatable issue during trial.

Without expression of any opinion on merits of the case, the petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bond and surety bond to the satisfaction of the trial Court subject to the condition that the petitioner will not commit the similar offence for which he is accused of during the entire period of trial.

January 14, 2016
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**(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE**