

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

CRM-M No.7397 of 2016

Date of Decision:-22.03.2016

Gurpal Singh @ Goru.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab.

.....Respondent.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASWANT SINGH

Present:- Mr. Amardeep Singh Mann, Advocate for the Petitioner.

Ms. Rimplejit Kaur, AAG Punjab assisted by
HC Pargat Singh.

JASWANT SINGH, J (ORAL)

Prayer is under Section 439 Cr.PC for grant of regular bail to the petitioner Gurpal Singh @ Goru in case FIR No.25 dated 05.04.2015 for offences punishable under Sections 22/61/85 of the Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act registered with Police Station Bareta, District Mansa.

There is alleged recovery of 90 tablets of Limotel and 100 tablets of Antirol.

It is contended that the seized quantity is non commercial in nature and the petitioner is in custody since 05.04.2015 and the trial is at the initial stage of recording of prosecution evidence. The petitioner is also

stated to be not involved in any other criminal case.

Learned State Counsel assisted by HC Pargat Singh concedes that the seized quantity is non commercial in nature and the petitioner is not involved in any other criminal case. She further states that only one witness out of the nine prosecution witnesses has since been examined.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, keeping in view the custody period and the fact that the trial is not likely to be concluded in near future, present petition is allowed and the petitioner Gurpal Singh @ Goru is ordered to be released on bail to the satisfaction of learned CJM/Duty Magistrate, Mansa.

Petition stands disposed of.

**(JASWANT SINGH)
JUDGE**

March 22, 2016
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