

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

CRM-M-8800-2016

Date of decision: 12.07.2016

Bachittar Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Ms. G.K. Mann, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. A.P.S. Gill, AAG, Punjab.

Ritu Bahri, J.

This petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C is for grant of regular bail
bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R No. 194 dated 08.07.2015, under Sections
307/382/498-A/323/506 IPC, registered at Police Station, City Tarn Taran,
District Tarn Taran.

The petitioner is in custody since 08.07.2015 in F.I.R No. 194
dated 08.07.2015, under Sections 307/382/498-A/323/506 IPC, registered
at Police Station, City Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has informed that vide order
dated 31.05.2016 passed by this Court in CRM-M-9074-2016, the petitioner
was ordered to be released on bail in another case i.e. FIR No.195 dated
09.07.2015, registered at Police Station, City Tarn Taran. In that case,

recovery of 260 grams of heroin was effected from him when the police

party had held a *Naka* in connection with FIR No.194 dated 08.07.2015. A perusal of this order shows that bail was granted on the ground that the recovery was marginally higher than the commercial quantity.

In the present case, the petitioner is seeking grant of regular bail as he has been in custody for over a period of one year.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Inspector Ravinder Singh, has informed the Court that 10 prosecution witnesses have been examined and 6 witness, including one eye witness, have been given up. The entire evidence of the prosecution has now been concluded.

Heard.

Keeping in view the period of incarceration of the petitioner and the fact that trial may still take some time for its conclusion, this court feels that there is no need to detain the petitioner any longer. Accordingly, this petition is allowed and petitioner is ordered to be enlarged on bail to the satisfaction of Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Tarn Taran.

12.07.2016
ajp

(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE