

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

CRM-M -9246 of 2016 (O&M)
Date of decision: 08.07.2016

Balwant Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE JITENDRA CHAUHAN

Present: Mr. D.N. Ganeriwala, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Mehardeep Singh, Addl. A.G., Punjab
assisted by HC Jaspal Singh.

Jitendra Chauhan, J. (Oral)

By filing the present petition under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the petitioner has sought anticipatory bail in case FIR No.260, dated 16.11.2011, registered under Section 22 of NDPS Act, at Police Station A Division, Amritsar City.

It is contended that the petitioner could not appear before the trial Court on account of ailment and the absence was neither willful nor intentional. He further states that in pursuance of the order dated 16.03.2016, the petitioner has deposited Rs.10,000/- with District Legal Services Authority, Amritsar and has also furnished bail/surety bonds before the trial Court.

The learned State counsel does not controvert the above

assertion and states that all the Pws have been examined and the trial is at the fag end.

In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the interim bail granted by this Court vide order dated 16.03.2016, is made absolute.

The petition stands allowed.

08.07.2016

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(JITENDRA CHAUHAN)
JUDGE