

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

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CRM-M-9705-2016

Date of Decision: March 31, 2016

SUKHWINDER SINGH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....RESPONDENT

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

Present: Mr.Mohit Jaggi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr.Arshdeep S. Kler, DAG, Punjab.

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

Petitioner seeks concession of regular bail in a case registered on the basis of secret information that the petitioner would be carrying Charas on motorcycle. On being intercepted by the police party, the petitioner fled away from the spot leaving behind motorcycle with plastic bag containing 1 Kg of Charas. Petitioner was identified by the police official.

In view of the petitioner having not been arrested from the spot and recovery bearing not more than 1 Kg of Charas, it will be a debatable issue during the trial whether it is commercial quantity. The petitioner having been arrested in November, 2015, after a period of about six months, he can be granted the concession of bail as trial is likely to take a long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody.

The petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

**(M.M.S.BEDI)
JUDGE**

March 31, 2016

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