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

(Sr. No.220)

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Date of Decision:-May 12, 2017

Kuldeep Godara

.....Petitioner

V/S

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE A.B. CHAUDHARI

Present : Ms. Shalini Atri, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Abhishek Chautala, AAG Punjab.

A.B. Chaudhari, J. (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

In FIR No.19 dated 22.02.2016 registered under Section 18 of NDPS Act at Police Station Bahaw-Wala the petitioner was arrested on 22.02.2016 and is in jail since then.

The allegation against the petitioner is that he was found in possession of 3 Kgs. of opium as against the commercial quantity i.e.2.5 Kgs.

Learned counsel for the State submits that no other case is stated to be pending against the petitioner under NDPS Act.

The trial will take its own time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars any more. Therefore, in view of the abovesaid circumstances, I make the following order:-

ORDER

1. Petition is allowed.

2. The petitioner-Kuldeep Godara is ordered to be released on

bail to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned subject to his filing an undertaking on affidavit that he would not indulge in similar or any other kind of offence in future.

- 3. The petitioner shall not tamper with the prosecution evidence or influence the prosecution witnesses.
- 4. Petitioner shall also appear before the police station concerned on every Sunday between 11:00 AM to 04:00 PM and the police shall keep surveillance on the petitioner- Kuldeep Godara.

May 12, 2017

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(A.B. Chaudhari)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No