

**202 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH
CRM-M-22124 of 2017
Decided on:27.06.2017**

Satnam Singh @ Happy

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present: Mr. G. S. Bawa, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, DAG, Punjab.

Sudip Ahluwalia, J. (Oral)

The petitioner was originally apprehended in connection with FIR No.176 dated 23.10.2015 under Sections 22 of the NDPS Act. He was granted interim bail by the learned trial Judge, Amritsar on 11.02.2016, on account of delay in submission of the chemical analysis report. The same was, however, subsequently received alongwith the final challan presented against him. His earlier bail was, therefore, cancelled and he was taken in custody on 13.02.2017. In this manner he has remained in detention for almost 8 months as of now. Admittedly, the psychotropic substance/alprazolam recovered from him is 103 grams which is just marginally above the commercial quantity of 100 grams.

In the given circumstances, the petitioner may now be released on appropriate bail terms and conditions left to the discretion of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate, Amritsar.

**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No