

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

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CRM-M-23166-2017

DATE OF DECISION:24.08.2017

JOGA RAM

... Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Sanjay Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Seena Mand, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.119 dated 16.08.2016, under Section 22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Mehtiana, District Hoshiarpur.

Learned State counsel states that the matter is now listed on 25.08.2017 for examination of the remaining prosecution witnesses. She further states that every effort shall be made to expedite the trial.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that he may be permitted to withdraw this petition, at this stage.

Consequently, the petition is dismissed as withdrawn, at this stage. However, the trial Court is directed to expedite the trial.

August 24, 2017

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**(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE**

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