

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

**CRM No. M-31153 OF 2017
DECIDED ON : 29.08.2017**

Gurjinder Pal Singh @ Manga

...Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present : Mr. Lalit Narang, Advocate for
Mr. Varun Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Monika Jalota, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.94 dated 29.05.2017 under Section 22 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Kartarpur, District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that his wife is pregnant and the expected date of delivery is between 28.09.2017 to 06.10.2017, as per diagnostic report dated 16.05.2017. A copy of the same has been annexed as Annexure P-3.

Learned counsel further states that as per the allegations in the FIR, the petitioner along with his co-accused Sunil Kumar @Sheela was found in conscious possession of 300 injections of Buprenorphine, injection Rexogesic 2 ML and 300

injections of Pheniramine Maleate, Injection IP Avil 10 ML but the report of chemical examiner has not been received as yet, although three months have elapsed since the registration of FIR.

Learned counsel further contends that the petitioner may be released on interim bail for a period of 45 days from 28.09.2017 to attend to his wife. He further states that there is no other case which has been registered against the petitioner.

The report of chemical examiner has not been received although more than three months have elapsed since the recovery was effected. The wife of petitioner is pregnant. Therefore, the petitioner deserves to be released on interim bail.

In view of the above and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. Petitioner Gurjinder Pal Singh @ Manga shall be released on ad-interim bail for a period of 45 days from 28.09.2017 to attend to his wife, on his furnishing bonds to the satisfaction of Illaqa Magistrate/Duty Magistrate. He shall surrender on 13.11.2017 at 5.00 PM.

The petition stands disposed of accordingly.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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| 1. Whether speaking/reasoned : | YES/NO |
| 2. Whether reportable : | YES/NO |