

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

CRM-M-32246 of 2017

Date of Decision: 06 September, 2017

Prince Mattu @ Raju

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE FATEH DEEP SINGH

Present: Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S. Grewal, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

FATEH DEEP SINGH, J.

The allegations against the petitioner in this regular bail application under Section 439 Cr.P.C. are that on 09.05.2017 it is alleged that from the conscious possession of the petitioner contraband weighing 305 grams of intoxicating powder has been recovered.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged recovery is non-commercial and the petitioner is behind the bars and that the trial is not likely to be concluded in near future.

Though, learned State counsel has opposed the grant of bail to the petitioner but has not disputed the factual scenario.

Appreciating the submissions, since the non-commercial quantity is alleged to have been recovered and that the trial is not likely to be concluded in near future and no useful purpose would be

served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars, without adverting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition for grant of regular bail is allowed. Petitioner be admitted to bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

(FATEH DEEP SINGH)
JUDGE

September 06, 2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No