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

CRM-M-36504 of 2017

Date of decision: September 28, 2017

Sarfaraz

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. P.S. Sekhon, Advocate the petitioner.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Mr. Ramandeep Sandhu, Sr.

DAG Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the State.

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

Petitioner seeks anticipatory bail in FIR No.57 dated 11.04.2016, under Section 22 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substance, 1985, registered at Police Station City-I, Malerkotla, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that the allegations against the petitioner was in possession of non-commercial quantity of 9 vials of rexcof 100 ml each. He submits that the petitioner was on regular bail during trial, however, the petitioner remained absent on 15.05.2017 before the Judge Special Court, Sangrur and therefore, the Court cancelled his bail and issued non-bailable warrants. He submits that the petitioner be given a chance to

be at liberty to face the trial. There is no other case against the petitioner.

Without finding any fault with the trial Court's order, in my opinion, there is no point in pushing the petitioner in jail particularly because the petitioner undertakes to appear before the trial Court with promptitude and cooperate for disposal of the trial.

In that view of the matter, petitioner shall be released on bail upon furnishing fresh bail bonds amounting to ₹10,000/- with one surety of like amount to the satisfaction of the trial Court. Petitioner shall not tamper with the prosecution evidence, threaten or exercise any influence on the prosecution witnesses. Petitioner shall appear before the trial Court with promptitude and cooperate for disposal of the trial.

Petition stands disposed of.

(A.B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

September 28, 2017

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No