

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

CRM-M-41189-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 7.11.2017

Naveen Joshi

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

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

Present: Mr. Raj Kumar and Mr. Ajay Singh, Advocates
for the petitioner.

Ms. Tanushree Gupta, DAG, Haryana.

A.B. CHAUDHARI, J (Oral)

Heard learned counsel for the rival parties.

Petitioner seeks grant of regular bail in case FIR No. 138 dated 5.7.2017 under Sections 18 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Chhachhrauli, District Yamunanagar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner was arrested on 5.7.2017.

On the other hand, learned State counsel submits that there is no similar case pending against petitioner.

On perusal of the record, I find that this is the first bail petition filed by the petitioner; he is in jail for sufficiently long time; no purpose would be served in keeping him to custody and trial will take long time in conclusion.

In that view of the matter, this petition is allowed. Petitioner shall be released on bail subject to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Petitioner shall file an undertaking before the trial Court that he will not indulge in similar or any other kind of offence in future. Petitioner shall deposit his passport, if possesses, with the trial Court. Petitioner shall not tamper, influence and threaten the prosecution witnesses and complainant as well.

(A.B. CHAUDHARI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned: *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable: *Yes/No*