

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

CRM-M-15600 of 2018

Date of Decision: 24.04.2018

Jaideep

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM:HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present: Mr. Satnam Singh Gill, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Vikramjeet Singh, AAG, Haryana.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J.(Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.222 dated 04.03.2018 registered under Section 21 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station City Thanesar, District Kurukshetra.

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is in custody since 06.03.2018 and report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. has already been submitted. It is also contended that no recovery has been effected from the petitioner and he was nominated on the disclosure statement of co-accused-Neeraj. It is further contended that there is no other case pending under the provisions of NDPS Act against the petitioner.

On instructions from ASI Rampal, the above factual position is duly acknowledged by learned State counsel.

Heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the paper book.

In view of the fact that the petitioner is in custody since 06.03.2018 and report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. has already been submitted. Even, no recovery has been effected from the petitioner and he has been nominated as an accused only at the instance of co-accused-Neeraj. The trial is likely to take a long time to be concluded and as such no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars any more.

Therefore, in view of the abovesaid circumstances, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is accepted. Petitioner-Jaideep be admitted to bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court.

[MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU]
JUDGE

April 24, 2018
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Whether speaking/reasoned	yes/no
Whether reportable?	yes/no