

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

CRM-M-27513-2018

Date of decision: October 10, 2018

Lakhwinder Singh @ Sonu

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present: Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Senior DAG, Punjab.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J.(ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of regular bail to petitioner-Lakhwinder Singh @ Sonu, in case FIR No.39 dated 28.04.2018, registered for the offences punishable under Sections 21, 22 and 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotroic Substances Act; Section 25 of Arms Act and Sections 188, 411, 414 and 511 of the Indian Penal Code (for short 'IPC'), at Police Station Bhindi Saidan, District Amritsar.

Heard.

It is the allegations against the petitioner that he was having a mobile phone SIM issued by the authority in Pakistan and he was conversing with regard to transport of 10 kg heroin but no contraband has been recovered from him. Co-accused Hardev Singh has already been granted the benefit of interim anticipatory bail. Challan has been submitted.

Without expressing any opinion on merits of the case and keeping in view the fact that conclusion of trial will take considerably long time, the present petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on furnishing bail bond and surety bond to the satisfaction of trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned subject to following terms:-

- (a) The petitioner shall comply with the conditions mentioned in Section 437(3) Cr.P.C.
- (b) In the event of his absence on any date of hearing, the benefit of bail allowed to the petitioner shall stand withdrawn. The trial court shall be competent to cancel his bail bond and surety bond and proceed to procure his presence in accordance with law. In that eventuality the petitioner shall have to apply for bail afresh.
- (c) He shall not leave the country without the previous permission of the court.

(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No