

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

CRM-M-37924-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-5.9.2018

Gurjinder Singh @ Avinash

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Dhirinder Chopra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

The petitioner Gurjinder Singh @ Avinash has filed this petition seeking grant of regular bail in respect of a case registered against him vide FIR No.71 dated 11.7.2018 under Section 61 of Punjab Excise Act, 1914 and Section 420 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 at Police Station Mehna, District Moga.

In nutshell, the allegations are to the effect that 240 boxes of countrymade liquor were recovered from the petitioner from Bus Stand Bughipura, although the same was meant to be sold in Haryana only.

As per custody certificate filed by learned State counsel today in Court, the petitioner has been behind the bars since 13.7.2018 and he is not stated to be involved in any other case. Conclusion of trial will take long time. Hence no useful purpose will be served by keeping him behind the bars

any more. Therefore, in view of abovesaid circumstances, the present petition is accepted and the petitioner Gurjinder Singh @ Avinash shall be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, Moga.

This petition stands disposed of accordingly.

5.9.2018

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned	Yes / No
Whether Reportable	Yes / No