

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

CRM-M-45576-2017

Date of Decision:10.01.2018

Sukhbir Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

....Respondent

**CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present: Mr.J.S.Thakur, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

Ms.Samina Dhir, DAG, Punjab.

**AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (Oral)**

The petitioner having fled jail custody in the year 2013, with the allegation against him in the FIR in question being that he was arrested with 10 Kgs of heroin stated to have been brought from Pakistan, this petition is dismissed, but with a direction to the trial Court that the trial having remained pending even after the arrest of the petitioner for more than two and a half years now, it be expedited and an attempt be made to conclude it within 8 months.

**January 10, 2018**

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**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)  
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : YES/NO  
Whether Reportable : YES/NO