

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH.

CRM-M-48012 of 2017

Date of decision: February 15, 2018

Channa

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Sahil Puri, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. A.A. Pathak, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

Rajan Gupta, J.(oral)

This is a petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in a case registered against the petitioner under Section 22/61/85 of Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Sultanpur Lodhi, District Kapurthala, vide FIR No.103 dated 05.05.2017.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that recovery is of 110 grams intoxicating powder containing Alprazolam, which is marginally above commercial quantity. He further contends that there is no other case pending against the petitioner.

Learned State counsel has opposed the prayer.

In view of above, I find that no useful purpose will be served in continuing the detention of the petitioner. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case and without making any observation on the merits of this case, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail, subject to the satisfaction of the concerned trial court/Illaqa Magistrate, Kapurthala.

**(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE**

February 15, 2018

'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No