

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

CRM-M-48131-2017 (O&M)

Date of decision: 19.01.2018

Sukhbir Singh @ Sukha

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.

Present: Mr. Ritesh Pandey, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

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TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J. (ORAL).

Petitioner seeks benefit of regular bail pending trial in case FIR No.99, dated 21.11.2014, under Section 21/22/61/85 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Rangar Nangal, Police District Batala, District Gurdaspur.

As per prosecution version, the alleged recovery effected from the petitioner is of 110 grams of Alprazolam.

The same would be construed as marginally over and above the commercial quantity.

Investigation in the case is complete and challan already sands presented.

Trial is at the initial stage and would take time to conclude.

It has also gone uncontroverted that the petitioner was initially granted interim bail to await the report of Chemical Examiner. Petitioner did not mis-use such concession and had surrendered upon receipt of Chemical Examiner report.

Learned State counsel upon instructions from ASI Major Singh would concede to the fact that the petitioner is not involved in any other case under the NDPS Act.

In view of the above and without making any observations on merit, present petition is allowed. Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate, Gurdaspur.

Disposed of.

19.01.2018

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(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |