

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

CRM-M No.50753-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision : 26.11.2018

Rattan Lal @ Fauji

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDIP SINGH

Present:- Ms.G.K.Mann, Advocate for the petitioner
Ms.Sunint Kaur, AAG Punjab

1. Whether the Reporters of local newspaper may be allowed to see the judgment ?
2. To be referred to the Reporter or not.
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the digest ?

KULDIP SINGH J. (Oral)

Heard.

One kg of opium is alleged to have been recovered from the petitioner, who happens to be about 90 years of age. Previously also, there were cases against the petitioner. He was arrested on 12.9.2018 and is in custody since then. In this case, challan has not been presented so far.

Considering the fact that the recovery is non-commercial in nature and also the extreme old age of the petitioner, the petition is allowed. Petitioner is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing personal bonds in the sum of Rs. 25,000/- with one surety of the like amount to the satisfaction of learned Chief Judicial Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate, Amritsar.

26.11.2018
gk

(Kuldip Singh)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No