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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.7353 of 2018

Date of Decision: 05.04.2018

AMRIT LAL @ BABBAL

.....Petitioner

Vs

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Ms. Suman Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl. A.G., Punjab.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

Petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail under Section 438 Cr.P.C. in case bearing FIR No.193 dated 23.12.2015 registered under Sections 22-61-85 of the NDPS Act (Section 21 of the NDPS Act added later on) at Police Station Garshankar, District Hoshiapur.

Petitioner was granted regular bail by the trial Court. His bail was cancelled when he absented from the Court on 07.02.2018. Bail bonds and surety bonds were forfeited to the State.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that on account of ailment of the petitioner on 06.02.2018, he could not appear before the trial Court on 07.02.2018. OPD slip dated

06.02.2018 has been relied. Petitioner has appeared before the trial Court on 28.03.2018 in pursuance of order dated 22.02.2018 passed by this Court.

Factum of OPD slip and appearance of the petitioner before the trial Court have not been denied by learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Mohinder Singh.

In view of above, interim order dated 22.02.2018 is made absolute.

Petition stands disposed of.

April 05, 2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

**(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

Yes/No

Yes/No