

Sr. No.222

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

CRM No. M-9219 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 26.03.2018

Vasawa Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

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

Present:- Ms. Baljit Mann, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Jaspreet Kaur, AAG, Punjab.

TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA, J.(ORAL)

Petitioner seeks regular bail pending trial in case FIR No.01 dated 01.01.2010, under Sections 21, 22, 23, 25, 29/61/85 of NDPS Act, and Sections 465/467/471/474 IPC read with Sections 25/54/59 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station State Special Operation Cell, Amritsar.

During the course of hearing, it stands uncontroverted that based on secret information an alleged recovery of 14 kgs. of methamphetamine, one 32 bore revolver and 06 live cartridges were recovered from co-accused Pankaj Kumar @ Bobby, Narender Kumar Aggarwal @ Goyal.

Present petitioner stands implicated on the statement of co-accused.

Main accused Pankaj Kumar @ Bobby as also Narender

Kumar Aggarwal @ Goyal have been granted benefit of regular

bail.

Petitioner is stated to be involved in one more case under the NDPS Act but in which he has already been granted benefit of bail.

Prayer for regular bail was opposed by learned State counsel by contending that petitioner had absented from trial proceedings and had been declared a proclaimed offender.

Be that as it may, petitioner was arrested in a separate FIR and was brought on production warrant in the instant case on 30.05.2013.

Trial would take time to conclude.

Without making any observation on merits, petitioner is held entitled to the benefit of bail.

Petition is allowed. Petitioner be enlarged on bail subject to satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Disposed of.

26.03.2018

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes
No