

Sr. No.222

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

CRM-M-4284-2019(O&M)

Date of decision:06.02.2019

**Gurmeet Ram @ Gurpreet Ram @ Gurmeet Singh and another
.....Petitioners**

versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondents

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present: Mr. Rajdeep Singh Gill, Advocate for
Mr. Parminder Singh Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. K.S.Aulakh, DAG, Punjab.

Rajbir Sehrawat, J(Oral)

Present petition has been filed for seeking bail pending trial in FIR No.08, dated 16.01.2017 for the offences punishable under Sections 27-A,29,60 of NDPS Act added later on, registered at Police Station Lehra, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that in this very case the petitioners were granted bail pending trial by the Court. However, now the Police have added Section 27-A,29,60 of NDPS Act to the same set of facts. Counsel for the petitioners has further contended that the petitioners are not required for any further investigation even after addition of the new sections to the case.

On the other hand learned State counsel, being instructed by ASI Sat Parkash, submits that Police have found some additional facts that there were some other co-accused also who helped the petitioners in running away. Therefore, the additional sections have been incorporated in the case.

However, it is not denied that the petitioners, as such, are not required for any additional investigation.

In view of the above, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed. Petitioners are granted the concession of bail pending trial. They be released on bail pending trial subject to furnishing bail bonds/surety to the satisfaction of the concerned Trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

6th February, 2019

Shivani Kaushik

**[RAJBIR SEHRAWAT]
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned *Yes/No*

Whether Reportable *Yes/No*