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

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Date of Decision : 6.3.2019**

Balvir Kaur @ Totan

....Petitioner

vs.

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present: Mr. Mandeep Kumar Dhot, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seek grant of regular bail in case FIR No.444, dated 13.10.2018, registered under Section 22, 29 of NDPS Act 1985 registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala.

Counsel for the petitioner has stated that the petitioner has been in custody for 5 months approximately.

Custody certificate dated 6.3.2019 by way of affidavit of Harpreet Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent, District Jail, Sangrur has been filed on behalf of the respondent-State, the same is taken on record. Copy has been supplied to the opposite counsel. The custody certificate corroborate the fact that the petitioner has been in custody for 4 months and 15 days.

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Learned Deputy Advocate General has stated that 21 vials of Onerex and each vial was containing 100 ml intoxicant liquid was recovered from the petitioner. She further stated that challan is ready and instead of releasing the petitioner on bail, it would be appropriate to put a time cap on the trial. She has stated that the prosecution will lead its entire evidence (12 witnesses) on or before 5.7.2019 subject to the accused not obstructing the same.

I find this to be a fair submission. Consequently, even while dismissing this petition, the Trial Court is directed to release the petitioner on bail in case the prosecution fails to conclude its entire evidence on or before 5.7.2019 subject to the accused not obstructing the same.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

6.3.2019
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(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned - Yes/No

Whether reportable - Yes/No