

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

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**CRM-M-6711-2019
DATE OF DECISION: 24.05.2019**

LABH SINGH

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Naveen Sharma, Advocate for the petitioner(s).

Mr. Amit Mehta, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.122 dated 04.12.2018, under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Rampura, District Bathinda.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the recovery which has been allegedly effected from the petitioner has been found to be of non-commercial quantity as per the FSL report. The petitioner is in custody for 5 ½ months and he is not involved in any other case.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from SI Gurtej Singh, is not in a position to controvert the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner that the recovery from the petitioner is of non-commercial quantity. Although he states that the challan has been filed but no witness has been examined

Heard.

In view of the submissions of the learned counsel for the petitioner, especially when the petitioner is in custody for over 5 months and the conclusion

of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

24.05.2019

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(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No