

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-9516-2019 (O&M)
Date of decision:13.03.2019

Balvinder Singh @ Kak

....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harinder Singh Sidhu

Present: Mr. Bhavdeep Singh Mamli, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Neeraj Poswal, AAG, Haryana.

Harinder Singh Sidhu, J. (Oral)

This is a petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. seeking regular bail in case FIR No.420 dated 02.09.2018 (Annexure P-1) under Section 15 of NDPS Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Pehowa, District Kurukshetra (Haryana).

Allegations are that 14 Kg of *poppy husk* was recovered from the petitioner which he was carrying on his person.

On instructions from ASI Rajpal, learned State counsel states that the investigation in this case is complete, challan has been presented and the trial has commenced.

The petitioner is in custody since 02.09.2018 and the recovery is non-commercial. The trial of the case may take long time. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the petitioner in custody.

Keeping in view the above and without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this criminal miscellaneous petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on bail subject to his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned:	Yes
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No