

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

CRM-M-12266-2019
Date of decision:25.03.2019

Jaffar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Anil Kumar Malik, Advocate
 for the petitioner.

Mr. Ashok Singh Choudhary, Addl. A.G., Haryana.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner seeks grant of regular bail in case registered vide FIR No.16 dated 8.1.2019 under Section 20 of NDPS Act, Police Station Qilla Panipat, Tehsil and District Panipat.
2. The allegations of the prosecution are that the petitioner was found in possession of 650 grams of '*Charas*'.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the quantity being non-commercial and the petitioner not having been involved in any other case earlier, he deserves the concession of bail.
4. While opposing the petition, learned State counsel upon

instructions from ASI Pawan Kumar submits that the petitioner is not involved in any other criminal case.

5. Having considered rival contentions addressed before this Court and bearing in mind the quantity of contraband recovered which is non-commercial and also that the challan has already been presented, in my opinion, no fruitful purpose would be served by further detaining the petitioner behind bars. The petition, as such, is accepted and it is ordered that petitioner be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate, concerned.
6. It is, however, clarified that none of the observations made above shall be construed to be an expression on merits of the main case.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

25.03.2019
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Whether reasoned / speaking? **Yes / No**

Whether reportable? **Yes / No**