

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

CRM-M-20928-2019
Date of Decision:04.10.2019

Rajwinder Singh @ Raju ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent(s)

CRM-M-30219-2019

Kaka Singh ...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab ...Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. Sandeep Kotla, Advocate for the petitioner in
CRM-M-20928-2019
Mr.Sandeep Verma, Advocate for the petitioner in
CRM-M-30219-2019
Mr.SPS Tinna, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J.

By this order, two separate petitions one filed by Rajwinder Singh @ Raju and second filed by Kaka Singh shall stand disposed of.

The petitioner in each petition prays for grant of regular bail in FIR No.71 dated 27.07.2018 registered under Sections 15/61/85 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985.

As per allegations of the prosecution, 85 kg poppy husk was recovered from each of the petitioner. This Court, while taking into consideration the facts of the case, had directed the Director, Bureau of Investigation, Punjab at Chandigarh to examine the case and file status report.

Status reports by way of affidavits have been filed in both the cases.

It has been disclosed in the status report that Rajwinder Singh @ Raju is involved in three more cases under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, out of which in one case he has already been convicted, whereas in remaining two, he was acquitted.

Kaka Singh is involved in total 12 criminal cases, out of which 4 cases are under the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act. He is also a previous convict, sentenced to undergo 10 years imprisonment.

Hence, both the petitioners are previous convicts under the NDPS Act. Alleged recovery from the petitioners in both these petitions is of commercial quantity. No ground is made out to grant regular bail to the petitioners.

In view of the above, both these petitions are dismissed.

04.10.2019
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No