

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-22872-2019 (O&M)
Date of decision: 18.11.2019

Goldy Sharma

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Ms. Gurjinder, Advocate for
Mr. M.K. Dhot, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail in FIR No.89 dated 09.04.2019 under Section 18 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Dhuri, District Sangrur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as per allegations in the FIR, the police received a secret information that petitioner Goldy Sharma along with one Nisha Rani are coming on a motorcycle and are indulged in the business of selling the opium. On receiving such information, a ruqa was sent to the police station and thereafter, the Investigating Officer apprehended the petitioner along with co-accused Nisha Rani and recovered 200 grams of opium. It is further submitted that the petitioner is in custody since 10.04.2019; challan stands presented; charges have been framed; out of total 14 prosecution

witnesses, only 01 PW has been examined; recovery is of non-commercial quantity and the petitioner is not involved in any other case.

Learned State counsel, on the basis of custody certificate, has not disputed the factual position.

Without commenting anything on merits of the case, considering the aforesaid facts, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail subject to furnishing his bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Illaq Magistrate/Duty Magistrate.

Petition is disposed of.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No