

**In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana, at Chandigarh**

**Criminal Misc. No. M-29947 of 2019**

**Date of Decision: 17.07.2019**

Satpal Singh

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Haryana

... Respondent(s)

**CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Shekher Dhawan.**

Present: Mr. Aditya Sanghi, Advocate  
for the petitioner(s).

**Shekher Dhawan, J.**

Present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. for seeking pre-arrest bail to the petitioner, namely Satpal Singh in case FIR No. 130 dated 25.12.2018, registered under Section(s) 22(C) of the Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Rori, District Sirsa.

At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner fairly conceded that present petition for granting pre-arrest bail to the petitioner is not maintainable, rather restricted his prayer to the point that learned trial Judge be directed to decide the regular bail application to be filed by him in this case.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Ramesh Kumar Ambavta, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondent. A copy of paper-book be provided to him during the course of the day.

Having considered the submissions made by learned counsel for

the petitioner, present petition stands disposed of with the directions that in case petitioner, namely Satpal Singh surrenders before the learned trial Court within a period of one week from today and moves an application for granting him the concession of regular bail, the learned trial Judge shall decide the same within a period of one week thereafter, on merits.

**(Shekher Dhawan)**  
**Judge**

**July 17, 2019**  
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| Whether reportable        | : Yes/No |