

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

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CRM-M-33125-2019

Date of decision : 23.09.2019

Raju @ Raj Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. N.K. Banka, DAG, Punjab.

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.87 dated 13.06.2019, under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Arniwala, District Fazilka.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that Tramadol tablets weighing 78.62 grams were allegedly recovered from the petitioner which is much below the threshold of 250 grams of commercial quantity. The petitioner is not involved in any other case under the NDPS Act.

This Court, by the order dated 16.08.2019, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating/Arresting Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Harkishan Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation and is not required for custodial interrogation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and the petitioner having joined investigation and not required for custodial interrogation, the order dated 16.08.2019 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 23, 2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No