

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-40370-2019
Date of decision: 26.09.2019

Bharat Gill @ Shiva Gill

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Amit Gupta, Advocate for
Mr. Vipin Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

This is 2nd petition for grant of regular bail in FIR No.04 dated 05.01.2018 under Sections 21/25/29 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Sadar, Gurdaspur, earlier one was dismissed as withdrawn at that stage vide order dated 05.04.2019.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody for the last more than 01 year and 08 months and is not involved in any other case under the NDPS Act. It is further submitted that as per allegations in the FIR, the petitioner along with his wife Ekta Gill were apprehended by the Investigating Officer, while travelling in a car and 800 grams of heroin was recovered from dashboard of the car. Learned counsel further submits that the case is still at the stage of recording the evidence and it will take some time in

conclusion of the trial.

Learned State counsel has filed the custody certificate dated 26.09.2019 in the Court today and has not disputed the fact that the petitioner is not involved in any other case under the NDPS Act.

Without commenting anything on merits of the case, considering the custody of the petitioner, this petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to be released on regular bail subject to furnishing his bail/surety bond 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