

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

CRM-M-44095-2019

Date of Decision: 17.10.2019

Raj Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent(s)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: None for the petitioner.
Mr.SPS Tinna, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J.

Petitioner prays for grant of pre-arrest bail in FIR No.160 dated 25.08.2019 registered under Section 61 (Act No.1) of the Punjab Excise Act, 1914 at Police Station, Sadar Patiala, District Patiala.

Case called twice. Counsel for the petitioner is not present.

As per the case of the prosecution, 240 bottles of Sahiba Santra, which were exclusively for sale in the State of Haryana, were recovered from the car of the petitioner.

Learned Additional Sessions Judge, after noticing that the petitioner does not dispute the ownership of the car from which recovery has been made, directed the petitioner to surrender before the learned Area Magistrate and on his surrender, the learned Area Magistrate would dispose of the bail application within 3 days.

In view of the above-said directions issued, this Court does not find it to be a fit case for grant of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

17.10.2019
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No
Whether Reportable: Yes/No