

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

CRM-M-45533-2019(O&M)

Date of decision: 20.11.2019

Balwinder Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- Mr.Tarun Vir Singh Lehal, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. Hittan Nehra, Addl.AG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

Petitioner prays for grant of pre-arrest bail in FIR No.107 dated 20.9.2019 registered under Sections 21, 22, 29, 61, 85 of NDPS Act at Police Station Division No.2, Pathankot, District Pathankot.

On 8.11.2019 while granting interim protection, petitioner was directed to join investigation.

Learned State counsel on instructions from HC Kuldeep Raj has submitted that petitioner has not joined the investigation and there are as many as three criminal cases pending against him under NDPS Act, including one in the State of Himachal Pradesh.

Hence, no ground to grant concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioner is made out. Dismissed.

20.11. 2019

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether Reportable

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)

JUDGE

Yes / No

Yes / No