

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

**CRM-M No.57334 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of decision : 11.01.2019**

Jushil Kumar @ Shil Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present : Ms. Arti Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms.Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case F.I.R. No.50 dated 10.05.2018 registered under Section 22 of NDPS Act, 1985 at Police Station Sadar Nawanshahar, District SBS Nagar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that petitioner has been in custody since 10.05.2018.

Learned Deputy Advocate General on instructions from Investigating Officer states that out of 11 witnesses, only 1 witness has been examined and instead of releasing the petitioner on bail, it would be appropriate to put a time cap on the trial and in case the petitioner does not obstruct the trial the prosecution will lead its entire evidence on or before 05.03.2019 and till such time the bail should not be granted to the petitioner.

I find this to be a fair submission. In the circumstances, in view of the undertaking given by the learned Deputy Advocate General, it is directed that in case the prosecution does not lead its entire evidence on or before 05.03.2019 (subject to the accused not obstructing the same) the petitioner be released on bail to the satisfaction of the trial Court.

Petition stands disposed of in the above terms.

Since the main case has been decided, the pending criminal miscellaneous application, if any, also stands disposed of.

(**AJAY TEWARI**)
JUDGE

11.01.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No