

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

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CRM-M-50908-2019

Date of decision : 05.12.2019

Radha

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.. Respondent

CORAM :HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Tejinderbir Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.

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

Anupinder Singh Grewal, J. (Oral)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.159, dated 01.09.2017, under Sections 21 and 22 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Bhogur, District Jalandhar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the allegations against the petitioner are that 13 injections of Buprenorphine each containing 2 ml. were allegedly recovered from her. The petitioner is 55 years old lady and is not involved in any other case. The petitioner is in custody for about six months. He has relied upon the judgement of the Coordinate Bench of this Court in the case of **Kuldeep Singh vs. Union Territory, Chandigarh** passed in CRM-M-1400 of 2018 on 19.01.2018 wherein the petitioner, who was in possession of 12 injections of Buprenorphine containing 2 ml each, was granted regular bail after having put in about three months in custody.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Balwinder Singh, states that 04 out of 11 prosecution witnesses have been examined.

Heard.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner especially when the petitioner being 55 years old lady, she is in custody for about six months, she is not involved in any other case and the conclusion of the trial is likely to take some time, I deem it a fit case to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on her furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

December 05, 2019

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