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

**CRM-M No. 55591 of 2018
Date of Decision: 14.03.2019**

Tejinder Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr.H.S.Gharuan, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr.C.L.Pawar, Sr.DAG, Punjab.

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed under Section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (for short 'Cr.P.C') for grant of pre arrest bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.166 dated 22.07.2017, under Section 21 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 registered at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar (Mohali).

This court passed the following order on 18.01.2019:-

“Short reply by way of affidavit of Deep Kamal, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Kharar, District SAS Nagar, Mohali, on behalf of respondent-State, filed in Court today and same is taken on record.

The allegations against petitioner are that he is a supplier of heroin. Police seeks time to collect evidence.

Adjourned to 15.2.2019.

In the meanwhile, petitioner is directed to join investigation and disclose all facts to police. Let police also verify his version. In the event of his arrest, petitioner will be released on

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*interim bail to the satisfaction of Arresting Officer, subject to
compliance of conditions contained in Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”*

Learned State Counsel, on instructions from Inspector Bhagwant Singh has acknowledged that in terms of the previous order the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no longer required in this case.

In view of above, the interim order dated 18.01.2019 is made absolute, subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. and the present petition stands disposed off.

14.03.2019

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**(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE**

*Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable*

*Yes/No
Yes/No*