

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

**CRM-M-7073 of 2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: February 28, 2020**

Rajinder Singh @ Neki

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr.J.S.Thakur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

This is a petition for grant of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.210 dated 02.11.2016, under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, Police Station Sadar Jalandhar, District Jalandhar.

On account of the non-appearance of the petitioner before the Trial Court at Jalandhar on 02.07.2019, his bail and surety bonds were ordered to be cancelled. Non-bailable warrants were issued against him. He filed CRM-M-51965 of 2019 in this Court, which was disposed of on 06.12.2019 with the following directions:

“In view of above, the petitioner is directed to appear before trial Court on or before 10.12.2019. On his appearance, he shall be released on bail by trial Court on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of trial Court/Duty Magistrate, Jalandhar, subject to payment of costs of Rs.2,000/- to be deposited in District Legal Services Authority, Jalandhar.”

Ld. Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a poor person and he could not appear before the Trial Court as he was unable to arrange the cost amount of Rs.2000/-.

The order granting protection from arrest was passed on 06.12.2019, directing the petitioner to appear before the Trial Court on or before 10.12.2019. More than 2½ months have passed thereafter.

Considering the aforesaid, no concession of anticipatory bail can be granted to the petitioner.

Petition dismissed.

February 28, 2020

**(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE**

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Whether Speaking / Reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	Yes / No