

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

CRM-M No.13530 of 2020

Date of Decision : 12.06.2020

Bhupinder Sharma

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Ms. Alisha Soni, Advocate
for the Petitioner.

Mr. Ajay Pal S. Gill, Dy. Advocate General, Punjab
for the Respondent/State.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

The instant Petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking Regular Bail in case FIR No.0036, dated 09.05.2016, registered under Section 18 of the NDPS Act, 1985, at Police Station Sanaur, District Patiala.

2. The Petitioner was originally granted a bail in this case. He, however, jumped bail and was, therefore, re-arrested on the strength of a Warrant issued against him earlier in January this year.

3. Considering the long detention already undergone by the present Petitioner following his re-arrest and the overall situation of Prisons in the wake of Covid-19 Pandemic, he is ordered to be released on bail at this stage, to the satisfaction of the Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

4. Disposed off.

June 12, 2020

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**(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No