

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

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CRM-M-14021-2020

DATE OF DECISION: 26.11.2020

SUKHWINDER SINGH @ KAKU

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present

Mr. F.S. Virk, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.40 dated 17.05.2020, under Section 15 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Ghanaur, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged recovery, which has been effected from the petitioner, is 2 kg 500 grams of poppy husk which is much below the threshold of 50 kg as commercial quantity.

A coordinate Bench of this Court, by the order dated 04.06.2020, had directed the petitioner to appear before the Investigating Officer and join the investigation and in the event of his arrest, he was to be released on ad-interim bail to the satisfaction of the Investigating/Arresting Officer, subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from SI Bahadur Ram, states that the petitioner has joined the investigation.

In view of the submissions of learned counsel for the petitioner and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 04.06.2020 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

26.11.2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes / No
Whether reportable	:	Yes / No