

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

**CRM-M No.17575 of 2019 (O&M)**

**Date of Decision: 09.10.2020**

Hardeep Singh

..... Petitioner

*Versus*

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU**

Present:- Ms. Manpreet Ghuman, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S.Multani, AAG, Punjab for the respondent.

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**MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)**

Present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of bail pending trial to the petitioner in case FIR No.130 dated 29.12.2017, under Sections 15, 25, 29 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Dhanaula, District Barnala.

On the last date of hearing i.e. 21.09.2020, this Court passed the following order:-

**“CRM-19176-2019**

*Application has been filed for grant of bail/interim bail after preponing the next date of hearing in the main case.*

*Learned counsel for the applicant-petitioner submits that she does not press the application.*

*Disposed off, accordingly.*

**Main case**

*Learned counsel for the petitioner has pointed out that entire prosecution witness is over and the case is fixed for defence evidence before learned trial Court.*

*Faced with the situation, learned State counsel seeks time to have instructions in the matter.*

*On his request, adjourned to 09.10.2020.*

Today, learned State Counsel has apprised the Court that defence evidence is over and now the case is fixed for arguments on 16.10.2020.

In view of the above, this petition is disposed off with the request to learned trial Court to hear the arguments on the date fixed or within four weeks thereafter if there is no legal impediment and to conclude the trial in accordance with law while following the instructions issued by this Court from time to time.

October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
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( MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU )  
JUDGE

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| <i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i> | <i>Yes/No</i> |
| <i>Whether Reportable</i>        | <i>Yes/No</i> |