

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

CRM-M-18499-2020

Date of decision: August 10, 2020

Vishal

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Prateek Pandit, Advocate for the petitioner

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.
(through video conferencing).

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

This is the fourth petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.124 dated 23.7.2018 under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Basti Bawa Khel, District Jalandhar.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is in custody for a long time and the trial Court be directed to dispose of the trial expeditiously.

The trial Court is directed to make endeavour efforts to conclude the trial by recording the statements of DWs, if any, through video conferencing.

The accused is also directed to submit his written synopsis for the purpose of concluding the arguments.

It is expected that considering the long custody of the petitioner, the trial Court may conclude the trial expeditiously, preferably within a period of three months from today.

Petition stands disposed of, accordingly.

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

August 10, 2020
satish