

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-27423-2020

DATE OF DECISION: 21.09.2020

AMRITPAL SINGH ALIAS KALU

... Petitioner (s)

Versus

S STATE OF PUNJAB

... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Rishu Mahajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Dhruv Dayal, Senior DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.6 dated 11.01.2020, under Sections 21/29 of the NDPS Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Verowal, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that he is confining his prayer in this petition to the grant of interim bail to the petitioner for a period of two weeks as the wife of the petitioner is expected to deliver a child on 29.09.2020. He has referred to the copy of the report of Department of Radio Diagnosis, Civil Hospital, Tarn Taran at Annexure P-3. The allegations against the petitioner are that recovery of 178 grams of heroin has been effected from him. Learned counsel also contends that the petitioner is also involved in two other cases under the NDPS Act pertaining to recovery of non-commercial quantity but he is on bail in those cases.

Learned State counsel contends that the petitioner is in custody for about 8 months. He also contends that two other cases under the NDPS Act are pending against the petitioner and he is on bail in those cases.

Heard through video conferencing.

The due date of delivery of petitioner's wife is 29.09.2020. It would be in the interest of justice, if the petitioner is granted interim bail for a period of two weeks to enable him to take care of his wife and the new born baby.

Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is partly allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on interim bail on 28.09.2020 for a period of two weeks on his furnishing requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned. He shall report back to the Central Jail, Amritsar on 13.10.2020 by 05:00 p.m.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

21.09.2020.

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