

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

CRM-M No.30449 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 09.10.2020

Kuldeep Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU

Present:- Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner.

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

MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU, J. (Oral)

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Since the main petition itself is listed today, therefore, application seeking preponement becomes infructuous.

Ordered accordingly.

MAIN CASE

Second 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.150 dated 30.09.2018, under Section 22/61/85 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Kabarwala, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

After arguing for sometime, learned Counsel for the petitioner wishes to withdraw the present petition with liberty to direct the trial Court to expedite the proceedings.

Learned State Counsel has apprised the Court that out of total 17 prosecution witnesses, 16 have already been examined and the petitioner is in custody for the last approximately 01 year and 10 months.

In view of the above, learned trial Court is requested to proceed in the matter expeditiously if there is no legal impediment, but after following instructions issued by this Court from time to time.

Dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

October 9th, 2020
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(MAHABIR SINGH SINDHU)
JUDGE

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