

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-42401-2019

Date of Decision: 24.02.2020

Darshan Singh

.. Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr. Sherry K. Singla, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Prabhjot Singh Walia, Asstt. A.G, Punjab.

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Manoj Bajaj, J. (Oral)

Petitioner has filed this petition under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure for grant of anticipatory bail in a case FIR No.17 dated 22.03.2019 under Section 22 Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Sadar Rampura, District Bathinda. He apprehended his arrest at the hands of Police in the above said FIR.

On 03.10.2019, the following order was passed by the Court:

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that the alleged recovery was effected from accused, namely, Sukhchain Singh @ Channa and later on the petitioner was also indicted as an accused. Learned counsel submits that petitioner holds valid license in his favour for stocking and selling the medicines and is running the shop in the name of Avneet Medical Agency as a partner. Notice of motion for 24.02.2020.

Meanwhile, the petitioner shall join the investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the

satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Learned State counsel who is assisted by ASI Manjit Singh has apprised the Court that pursuant to order dated 03.10.2019, the petitioner has not joined the investigation. It is contended that the petitioner is involved in 5 other cases of similar nature.

In view of above, learned counsel for the petitioner does not press the instant petition and prays for withdrawal of the same.

The prayer is accepted.

The petition is ordered to be dismissed as withdrawn.

24.02.2020
Jasmine Kaur

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes
No