

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-45814-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 30.1.2020

Babli Kaur

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. A.S.Barnala, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Saurav Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has approached this Court seeking grant of regular bail in respect of a case registered vide FIR No.95, dated 23.3.2019, registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala, under Section 20 of NDPS Act.
2. It is alleged that the petitioner was found in possession of 110 grams of '*Sulfa*'. Upon chemical examination of the said contraband, the same has been opined to be 'Charas' by FSL.
3. I have considered the aforesaid submission.
4. It is not disputed that the recovered contraband would fall in the category of 'non commercial quantity'. The petitioner has been behind bars since the last about 10 months and the trial is not likely to be concluded since till date only 1 out of the cited 13 PWs has been examined. In these circumstances, further detention of the

petitioner will not serve any useful purpose. The petition, as such, is accepted and it is ordered that the petitioner be released on bail subject to her furnishing bail bonds/surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/Chief Judicial Magistrate/Duty Magistrate concerned.

January 30, 2020

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**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No