

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

CRM-M-46549-2019

Date of decision: 24.2.2020

SUMIT KUMAR

....Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Amit Dhawan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Randhir Singh Thind, DAG, Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in respect of FIR No.169 dated 14.8.2017 under Section 22 NDPS Act, Police Station Division No.1, District Jalandhar pursuant to cancellation of his bail by the trial Court on account of his absence before the trial Court on 9.10.2019.
2. Pursuant to interim directions issued by this Court on 6.11.2019 the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has been released on interim bail.
3. The aforesaid position is not disputed by learned State counsel upon instructions from SI Ramesh Kumar.
4. In view of the aforesaid position and the fact that the trial has been proceeding and 3 PWs out of 8 PWs have been examined, a lenient view is taken and the interim directions issued vide dated 6.11.2019 are hereby made absolute subject to the condition that the petitioner shall appear

before the Trial Court regularly and abide by any such conditions as may be imposed by the Trial Court for ensuring his appearance regularly in the Trial Court.

5. The petition is accepted in the above mentioned terms.

24.2.2020
Gaurav Sorot

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned / speaking?	Yes / No
Whether reportable?	Yes / No