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

**CRM-M-54492-2019
Date of decision-31.01.2020**

Harmesh Singh

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

Present: Mr.R.S.Sekhon, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Prabhjot Singh Walia, AAG, Punjab.

MANOJ BAJAJ, J. (Oral)

Petitioner-Harmesh Singh has filed this petition for grant of interim bail for a period of eight weeks in case FIR No.33 dated 29.04.2019, under Sections 22 and 61 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 registered at Police Station Sadar Abohar, District Fazilka to enable him to get the heart surgery of his mother from Government Multi-Speciality Hospital, Sri Ganganagar (Rajasthan).

Notice of motion was issued on 20.12.2019 and the state counsel was directed to verify this fact. Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Rajbir Singh submits that the ground raised by the petitioner in the petition is not disputed as he is the only male member in the family after the demise of his father and the petitioner is to look after her ailing mother. The copy of the medical opinion of petitioner's mother is

produced in the Court.

After considering the prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner and the stand of learned State counsel, this Court does not find any reason to decline the prayer. It is ordered that he be released on interim bail for a period of eight weeks i.e 31.01.2020 to 27.03.2020 subject to his furnishing the requisite bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court/CJM/Duty Magistrate concerned. The petitioner is directed to surrender himself before the concerned Jail Authorities on 27.03.2020 before 05.00 p.m.

The petition is allowed.

A copy of this order be given to learned counsel for the petitioner under the signatures of Bench Secretary of this Court.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes	No
Whether Reportable :	Yes	No