

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

CRM-M No.53235 of 2019

Date of Decision : 05.02.2020

Sohan Singh alias Soni

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Laghuinder Singh Sekhon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, AAG, Punjab assisted by
ASI Gurdeep Singh.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (for short, 'the Cr.P.C.') seeking regular bail in case FIR No.50, dated 12.04.2019, registered under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, 1985, at Police Station Barnala, District Barnala.

2. The petitioner virtually stands on a same footing as that co-accused, namely, Sunil Kumar @ Kaka, who was already granted bail by a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, in **CRM-M No.44091 of 2019**, on 02.12.2019.

3. In such circumstances and considering the period of detention undergone by the petitioner, further detention, at this stage, would not serve any purpose. Therefore, the present petition is allowed and the

petitioner, namely, **Sohan Singh alias Soni**, is ordered to be released on regular bail subject to appropriate terms and conditions to the satisfaction of Ld. Trial Court/Duty Magistrate, concerned.

(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE

February 05, 2020

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No