

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

**CRM-M No. 55357 of 2019
Decided on: 20.02.2020**

Gurjeet Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. G.S. Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Naveen Sheoran, DAG, Haryana.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.719 dated 09.07.2017, registered under Sections 18 and 25 of the NDPS Act at Police Station City Karnal, District Karnal.

The operative part of the order dated 23.12.2019, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“...Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was granted regular bail and he was facing trial, however, on account of ill health, he could not appear before the trial Court on 27.11.2019 and his bail/surety bonds have been cancelled.

Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that a perusal of order dated 27.11.2019 would show that on that day, the case was fixed for prosecution evidence and the petitioner absented from the same.

It is further submitted that the petitioner is ready to appear before the trial Court and face the trial....”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 23.12.2019, the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has deposited the costs of Rs.5,000/- and he has been released on interim bail.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Satbir, has not disputed the aforesaid fact.

In view of the above, this petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 23.12.2019 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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