

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

(206)

CRM-M-5225-2020  
Date of decision:- 13.08.2021

Ravi Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUVIR SEHGAL

Present:- Ms. Arti Kaur, Advocate for  
Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Singh Deol, DAG, Punjab.

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**SUVIR SEHGAL, J. (Oral)**

The Court has been convened through video conferencing due to  
Covid-19 pandemic.

On 06.02.2020, the following order was passed:-

*“Briefly as per the allegations in case FIR No. 54 dated 14.06.2019 registered under Section 22 of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur, on 14.6.2019, 1800 intoxicant tablets of Clovidol-100 SR (Tromadol), 150 intoxicant tablets of Alprazolam and 180 capsules of Pervorin Spas were recovered from the possession of Amandeep Singh.*

*It has been stated that name of the petitioner does not find mention in the FIR and he is being implicated on the basis of the confessional statement of Amandeep Singh, co-accused. Furthermore, no other case under NDPS Act has been registered against the petitioner.*

*Notice of motion for 26.3.2020.*

*Meanwhile, the petitioner shall join the investigation and would come present as and when called for and in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be admitted to interim bail on his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. The petitioner shall also abide by the conditions as specified under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.”*

Learned State counsel, upon instructions, from ASI Sukhdev Singh submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and he is no longer required for custodial interrogation. He has further instructions to state that the petitioner is not involved in any other criminal case.

In view of the above fact, but without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed. Order dated 06.02.2020 is made absolute, subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

**(SUVIR SEHGAL)**  
**JUDGE**

13.08.2021  
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| Whether Speaking/Reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether Reportable        | Yes/No |