

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

212

**CRM-M-11191-2021 (O & M)
Date of Decision: September 13, 2021**

HARPREET SINGH ALIAS HAPPY

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Ms. Harpreet Kaur Arora, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepak Bhardwaj, DAG, Haryana.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.41 dated 18.02.2021, under Sections 15, 27A, 29, 61, 85 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Pehowa, District Kurukshetra.

On 10.03.2021, a Coordinate Bench of this Court had passed the following order:-

“Counsel for the petitioner herein prays for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner, while contending that though the petitioner has been named in the FIR as a supplier of the poppy straw based on a secret information given, however, he was not apprehended at the spot. It is submitted that recovery has been made from co-accused Gurmej Singh and Sahab Singh of the poppy straw, which does not fall within the commercial quantity. It is argued that since recovery has already been effected from the co-accused, his custodial interrogation would not be required.

Notice of motion for 13.09.2021.

At this stage, Mr. P.P. Chahar, DAG Haryana, who is present in the court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

Meanwhile, the petitioner is directed to join the investigation within a period of one week and on his doing so, in the event of arrest the petitioner be released on interim bail to the satisfaction of Arresting/Investigating Officer. However, the petitioner shall continue to join the investigation as and when called upon to do so and shall abide by the conditions as provided under Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.”

Learned State counsel, upon instructions from ASI Karambir Singh, states that the petitioner has joined investigation.

In view of the above and the petitioner having joined investigation, the order dated 10.03.2021 granting interim bail to the petitioner is made absolute.

However, the petitioner shall abide by the conditions stipulated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C. He shall also join investigation as and when called upon to do so.

The petition stands disposed of.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

September 13, 2021
A.Kaundal

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