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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRM-M No.9515 of 2020 (O&M)
Decided on: 08.07.2021

Deepak Masih @ Deepak

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. Manoj R. Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

The petitioner prays for grant of anticipatory bail in FIR No.50 dated 10.07.2019 registered under Sections 21, 22, 29 of the NDPS Act, at Police Station Fatehgarh Churian, District Gurdaspur.

The operative part of the order dated 04.03.2020, vide which interim anticipatory bail has been granted to the petitioner, is reproduced as under:-

“...Counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner was granted regular bail by this Court on 27.01.20149 passed in CRMM No.49608 of 2019. It is further submitted that thereafter, the petitioner was appearing before the trial Court on each and every date, however, on 29.01.2020, the case was adjourned to 24.02.2020. It is also submitted that the counsel for the petitioner has noted a wrong date as 24.03.2020 and the same was communicated to the petitioner and therefore, on 24.02.2020, neither the petitioner nor his counsel

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appeared on account of noting of a wrong date. It is, lastly, argued by counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner is ready to surrender before the trial Court and apply for fresh bail.

Notice of motion for 20.04.2020....”

Counsel for the petitioner has submitted that, in pursuance to the order dated 04.03.2020, the petitioner has appeared before the trial Court and has deposited the costs.

Counsel for the State, on instructions from ASI Nand Lal, 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 04.03.2020 is made absolute subject to the conditions envisaged under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

08.07.2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable:

Yes/No