

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

Sr. No.217

CRM-M-14414-2019

Date of decision: 15.11.2021

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....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK SIBAL

Present: Ms. Veena Hooda, Advocate for
Mr. Chanderhas Yadav, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sumit Jain, Addl.A.G., Haryana.

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DEEPAK SIBAL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for the grant of regular bail in FIR No.14 dated 08.02.2019, registered under Sections 22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Bara Gudha, District Haryana.

Since 13 out of the 14 prosecution witnesses already stands examined before the Trial Court, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that, at this stage, she does not press the present petition on its merits and would be satisfied if the same is disposed of with a direction to the Trial Court to dispose of the petitioner's trial in a time bound manner.

Learned State counsel has no objection to the acceptance of the above alternate prayer made on behalf of the petitioner.

Finding with the above prayer be reasonable and for the reason that the petitioner has been in custody for the last nearly 02 years and 08

months as also because every under trial has a right to speedy trial, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Trial Court to finally conclude the petitioner's trial within six weeks from the next date fixed before it, in accordance with law.

November 15, 2021
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(DEEPAK SIBAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No