

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

CRM-M-21365-2021 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 16.08.2021.

HARJINDER SINGH @ KAMAL SINGH

.....Petitioner

V/s.

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL.

(Through Video Conferencing)

Present: Mr. Gurbir Singh Sidhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of interim bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.409, dated 28.09.2020, lodged under Sections 302, 148, 149, 120-B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 registered at Police Station City Barnala, District Barnala, Punjab.

In compliance of the order dated 30.07.2021 passed by this Court, reply by way of affidavit dated 11.08.2021 of Rachhpal Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Barnala has been filed through e-mail. The same is taken on record. Registry is directed to tag the same at the appropriate place.

Learned State counsel, while inviting the attention of this Court to the opinion given by Dr. Arun Bansal, M.D. (Psychiatry) PCMS-I has submitted that the petitioner had gone to the Psychiatry OPD for de-addiction treatment alongwith withdrawal seizures for which he was put on OOA7

was grossly normal. He has further opined that the opioid dependence and seizure disorder can be treated in Central Jail OOA7 centre along with regular psychiatric consultation.

In the circumstances, prayer made by the petitioner for grant of interim bail on medical grounds is declined and the petition is hereby dismissed.

August 16, 2021

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**[MANJARI NEHRU KAUL]
JUDGE**

<i>Whether speaking / reasoned</i>	:	<i>Yes /No.</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>