

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

**CRM-M-21704-2021
Date of decision: 03.06.2021**

Bhupinder Kaur @ Jyoti

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present:- Mr. Sanjeev Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition, filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. read with Section 439 Cr.P.C., is for grant of interim bail for six months to petitioner in case FIR No. 0100 dated 23.12.2020, registered under Section 21 of the Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Sadar Nawanshahar, District S. B. S. Nagar.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though the petitioner has filed a petition seeking regular bail, bearing CRM-M-13207-2021, however, considering the medical condition of the petitioner as she is seven months' pregnant and is facing multiple health related issues, she may be granted concession of interim bail for six months.

Learned counsel relies upon certificate of the Jail Hospital, Central Jail, Kapurthala as well as the Ultrasound, conducted by the Civil Hospital, to support his arguments.

Learned State counsel has not disputed the factual position regarding pregnancy of the petitioner, however, it is submitted that

petitioner is involved in one more case under the NDPS Act and in case she is granted interim bail, she may misuse the same.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, considering the fact that 12 injections of *Buprenorphine*, weighing 02 ml each, were recovered from the petitioner and also in view of the fact that she is a young lady carrying advance pregnancy of seven months, the present petition is disposed of and the petitioner is ordered to be released on interim bail till 08.11.2021 on her furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate/Illaq Magistrate, concerned.

However, the trial Court, after assessing the situation, if the trial has not started in ordinary course and the evidence is recorded, may cancel or may continue the interim bail granted to the petitioner till further orders.

03.06.2021

Waseem Ansari

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No