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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 12.07.2021

Mani Kaur

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Parminder Singh Sekhon, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. H.S.Sitta, AAG, Punjab.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks regular bail in case bearing FIR No.42 dated 30.03.2021, registered at Police Station Amargarh, District Sangrur, under Sections 22 and 29 NDPS Act, 1985.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been in judicial custody since 30.03.2021. He also submits that report of FSL is still awaited. He restricts his prayer to the extent that the petitioner may be released on interim bail till the report of FSL is received.

In support of his contentions, he relies upon *Inderjeet Singh @ Laddi and others vs State of Punjab*, 2014 (3) RCR (Criminal) 953.

Learned State counsel does not dispute the fact that report of FSL is still awaited. However, he opposes the prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

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I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

A Division Bench of this Court in ***Inderjeet Singh @ Laddi's case (supra)***, has held that the accused-petitioner can be granted interim bail till the report of FSL is received.

Accordingly, the petitioner is ordered to be released on interim bail, subject to her furnishing bail/surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate, till the receipt of FSL report. The petitioner shall submit an undertaking before the trial Court/Duty Magistrate along with her bail/surety bonds that she will surrender before the trial Court on the receipt of the FSL report.

However, it will be open for the prosecution to apply for cancellation of bail, if the petitioner is found involved misusing the concession of bail, in any manner.

Disposed of.

12.07.2021

parveen kumar

**(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**

Whether reasoned/speaking?

Yes/No

Whether reportable?

Yes/No