

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

CRM-M-38001 of 2021 (O&M)

DECIDED ON: 7th December, 2021

Paramjit Singh

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

State of Punjab

.....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: Mr. Jagjit Singh, Advocate for petitioner.

Mr. V.G. Jauhar, Sr. DAG Punjab.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

This petition under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is filed seeking regular bail in case of FIR No. 147 dated 9.6.2021, under Section 22 of NDPS Act, 1985 (for brevity 'the Act') later on added Section 29 of the Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Samana, District Patiala.

Brief facts are that the police during routine patrolling on 9.6.2021, apprehended Surjit Kaur and recovered 1200 intoxicant tablets which were later found to be of Tramadol Salt. Surjit Kaur made a statement that she along with Paramjit Singh (petitioner) were indulging in selling tablets.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that no recovery was made from the petitioner. He was named in a disclosure statement. Petitioner is in custody since 17.6.2021 and investigation is complete;.

Reply dated 3.12.2021 and custody certificate dated 7.12.2021 filed by the State are taken on record.

Learned State counsel opposes the prayer for grant of bail and submits that the petitioner is involved in two more cases and in one case production warrant has been issued.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case and considering that name of the petitioner surfaced in disclosure statement, no recovery was made from him, investigation is complete, completion of trial is likely to take time, the petitioner is granted bail in the present case. He may be released on furnishing of surety bond to the satisfaction of the Chief Judicial Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate concerned, if not required in any other case.

The petition is allowed.

Since the main case has been allowed, the pending miscellaneous application, if any, stands infructuous.

7th December, 2021

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**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes</i>