

**107+209 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

**CRM-8339-2021 in/and
CRM-M No.32834 of 2020
Date of Decision:19.03.2021**

JASBIR SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Arvinder Arora, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Karan Garg, AAG, Haryana.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

Case is taken up for hearing through video conferencing.

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Present application is filed for placing on record the custody certificate of the petitioner dated 13.03.2021 issued by Deputy Superintendent, Central Jail, Ambala.

Allowed as prayed for.

Custody certificate is taken on record.

Main case

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks regular bail in case FIR No. 151 dated 01.06.2020 registered under Sections 15, 61 and 85 of NDPS Act, 1985 at Police Station Naraingarh, District Ambala.

Reply dated 19.02.2021 by way of affidavit of Deputy

Superintendent of Police, Naraingarh, Ambala, filed by the State, through e-mail is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that the alleged recovery effected from the petitioner is of non-commercial and he has been in custody since 01.06.2020 i.e. 9 months 10 days and that there is no other case pending/registered against the petitioner.

On the instructions from ASI- Jai Kumar, learned State counsel states that FSL report has been received whereas in status report it has been wrongly mentioned as not received. However, he does not dispute the fact regarding the custody period of the petitioner and the recovery effected from the petitioner is of non-commercial in nature. He further states that challan has been presented and charges are yet to be framed.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

The petitioner has been in custody since 01.06.2020 and charges are yet to be framed, the trial will take time to conclude and no useful purpose would be served by keeping the petitioner behind the bars.

In view of the above, without commenting anything on the merits, lest it should prejudice the case of either side, the petition is allowed and the petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on her/his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the learned trial Court/Duty Magistrate.

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

March 19, 2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No