

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

CRM-M-46951-2021

Date of decision: 15.11.2021

Jagjit Singh @ Jeet

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. J.S.Dhaliwal, Advocate for the petitioner
Mr. Balbir Singh Sewak, Addl. AG, Punjab

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J (Oral)

This is petitioner's third attempt to get bail pending trial in a criminal case arising from FIR No.184 dated 18.10.2019, registered under Section 29 of the NDPS Act, 1985, at Police Station Jhunir, District Mansa.

As per the case of the prosecution, the petitioner was found in conscious possession of 850 tablets of Alpac 0.5 containing Alprazolam salt. The recovery from the petitioner falls in the category of commercial quantity. As per the custody certificate, the petitioner stands convicted in FIR No. 104, dated 26.08.2018 registered under Section 22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, vide judgment dated 08.02.2021. Learned counsel representing the petitioner contends that the recovery in FIR No. 104 dated 26.08.2018 is of small quantity.

Be that as it may. Once the petitioner already stands convicted, therefore, he is a previous convict.

Keeping in view the aforesaid facts, no ground to grant the

concession of bail is made out. Hence, dismissed. However, the learned trial court is requested to make sincere endeavours for expeditious disposal of the trial.

15.11.2021

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No

(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE