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

CRM-M-53886-2021

Date of decision : 22.12.2021

Sudesh Kumar @ Shesha

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

Present: Ms. Simsi Dhir Malhotra, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sarabjit S. Cheema, AAG, Punjab.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.16 dated 01.02.2020 registered under Sections 15 and 22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Tanda, District Hoshiarpur.

Learned State Counsel has pointed out that in the present case, the petitioner was initially arrested and was granted interim bail on the condition that he would surrender once the FSL report is received and thus, the present anticipatory bail is not maintainable.

In view of the same, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks permission of this Court to withdraw the present petition and states that the petitioner is ready to surrender before the trial Court within a period of 20

days from today.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has further made a prayer that in case, the petitioner surrenders before the the trial Court within a period abovestated and files an application for grant of regular bail after surrender, the same be decided as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of four days from the date of filing the bail application.

In view of the statement made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the present petition is dismissed as withdrawn with direction to the petitioner to surrender before the trial Court within a period of 20 days from today and in case, after surrendering before the trial Court, the petitioner files an application for grant of regular bail, the trial Court is requested to decide the same as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of four days from the date of filing of the said application.

It would be open to the petitioner to raise all the points which have been raised in the present petition before the trial Court.

22.12.2021

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**(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned:- **Yes/No**

Whether reportable:- **Yes/No**