

Kulwinder Kaur

..... Petitioner (s)

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent (s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. J.S. Thakur, Advocate for petitioner.
Mr. Rehat Bir Singh Mann, DAG Punjab.

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HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

This petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for quashing of order dated 2.8.2021 of learned Judge, Special Court, Jalandhar whereby bail bond and surety bond have been ordered to be cancelled and forfeited to State.

Petitioner is an accused in FIR No. 78 dated 27.6.2019 registered under Section 22 of NDPS Act, 1985 at Police Station Division No. 7, District Jalandhar. The allegations against the petitioner are that 320 capsules of Parvorin Spas and 420 tablets of Alprazolam were recovered. The recovery is non commercial.

The petitioner was granted bail by trial Court. Thereafter, the matter was being repeatedly adjourned due to outbreak of COVID 2019. The petitioner was not aware of the date fixed in the said case. Because of her non appearance on the date fixed, the impugned order has been passed. Learned counsel states that it can never be the intention of the petitioner to evade the process of law. The petitioner is ready and willing to appear before the trial Court to face trial.

In view thereof, order dated 2.8.2021 is quashed. Petitioner is directed to appear before the trial Court on or before 1.3.2022. On her appearance before trial Court, she shall be released on interim bail by trial Court to its satisfaction. This shall however be subject to deposit of an amount of Rs. 10000/- (Rupees ten thousand only) in the Central Shaheed Ajit Singh Police Welfare Fund, O/o DGP, Punjab, Chandigarh, Welfare Branch, CPO, Punjab. She shall also furnish an undertaking that she would appear before the Court as and when directed.

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU)
JUDGE

8.2.2022

sjks

Whether reasoned order : Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No