

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

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**CRWP-966-2022
Date of decision: 14.02.2022**

HARMESH SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present : Ms. Manpreet Ghuman, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Ms. A.K. Khurana, DAG Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ. J. (ORAL)

The instant petition has been filed seeking writ in the nature of *Habeas Corpus*. It was alleged in the petition that the son of the petitioner had been wrongfully apprehended by the Police and had been illegally detained.

Vide order dated 02.02.2022, a status report was called for. Pursuant to the said order, a status report by way of an affidavit of Pawanjit PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division Malerkotla, District Malerkotla, has been filed in the Court. The same is taken on record. Registry to tag the same at appropriate place.

The status report shows that Rajinder Singh @ Jinder (alleged detainee) is an accused in case FIR No.25 dated 29.01.2022 registered at Police Station City-I Malerkotla, under Section 21 of the NDPS Act. It further reveals that the petitioner is also a habitual offender against whom five more FIRs had registered on earlier occasions. Details whereof are extracted hereunder:-

Sr. No.	FIR No., Date, Offence, recovery and name of Police Station	Status of the case
1.	FIR No.210 dated 11.09.2017 u/s 61.1.14 Excise Act P.S. Sadar Patiala for recovery of 360 bottles of liquor	Challan was presented on 30.07.2018 and case is under trial.
2.	FIR No.182 dated 30.10.2018 u/s 22/61/85 NDPS Act P.S. Sadar Dhuri	Convicted on 13.05.2019 already undergone
3.	FIR No.96 dated 30.10.2018 u/s 21,29/61/85 NDPS Act P.S. STF Mohali for recovery of 150 grams of heroin	Challan presented on 16.11.2020 and case is under trial
4.	FIR No.28 dated 21.01.2020 u/s 21,22,29/61/85 NDPS Act P.S. City Barnala for the recovery of 5 intoxicant vials and 210 intoxicant tablets	Challan presented on 28.01.2021 and case is under trial.
5.	FIR No.68 dated 30.10.2019 u/s 21, 22, 25, 29/61/85 NDPS Act P.S. Thuliwal for the recovery of 3,09,000/- intoxicant tablets.	Case is under trial.

In view of the above, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks to withdraw the instant petition.

Dismissed as withdrawn.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

February 14, 2022
S.Sharma(syr)

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No