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

CRM-M-9727-2022

Date of Decision: 26.04.2022

Amritpal Singh

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. Vikram Satpal Anand, Advocate, for
Mr. VPS Mithewal, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ms. Kanica Sachdeva, Assistant A.G., Punjab.

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that though the present petition has been filed for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.185, dated 29.09.2019, under Sections 22 and 29 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station B-Division, Amritsar, District Amritsar, but the petitioner will be satisfied at this stage, in case learned trial Court is directed to conclude the trial in a time bound manner.

Learned State counsel raises no objection, in case the aforementioned prayer of the petitioner is accepted and submits that out of the total eighteen witnesses, four witnesses have been examined so far by learned trial Court.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of this case and especially in view of the fact that the petitioner is behind the bars for the last almost two and a half years, learned trial Court is directed to expedite

the trial and make all the endeavours to conclude the trial within a period of

six months from the date of receipt of the copy of this order.

Disposed of in the above terms.

26.04.2022

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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)

JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
2. Whether reportable : No