

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

204 (1)

CRM-M-46168-2021
Decided on : 23.02.2022

Imtiaz Ahmed

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS BAHL

PRESENT: Mr. Vipul Jindal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Gagandeep Singh Wasu, Special Public Prosecutor
for National Investigating Agency.

VIKAS BAHL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C.
for grant of bail in FIR No. 90 dated 01.07.2021 under Sections 21(c) and
29 of the NDPS Act, 1985 registered at Police Station Garhshankar,
District Hoshiarpur.

Mr. Gagandeep Singh Wasu, Special Public Prosecutor has
put in an appearance on behalf of National Investigating Agency and
has submitted that the present case has been taken over by the NIA vide
order dated 25.12.2021 passed by the Ministry of Home affairs, Counter
Terrorism and Counter Radicalization Division and FIR has been re-
registered bearing No. RC/26/2021/NIA/DLI and Sections 17 and 18 of
the Unlawful Activities Prevention (UAP) Act have been added and has
further submitted that the authorities have got production warrants

issued against the petitioner and thus, the present petition for regular bail would not be maintainable and the petitioner would have to seek his remedy under the NIA Act.

In view of the same, learned counsel for the petitioner seeks to withdraw the present petition with liberty to avail remedies in accordance with law.

In view of the statement made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the present petition stands dismissed as withdrawn with the aforesaid liberty.

(VIKAS BAHL)
JUDGE

23.02.2022

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Whether reasoned/speaking?
Whether reportable?

Yes/No
Yes/No