

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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CRM-M-46611-2019 (O & M)
Date of Decision: January 18, 2022

TEJINDER SINGH @ PRINCE

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

....RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr.Fariad Singh Virk, Advocate for the petitioner.

Ms. Amarjit Kaur Khurana, DAG, Punjab.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J (ORAL)

Case taken up through video conferencing.

The petitioner is seeking regular bail in FIR No.50 dated 11.03.2019, under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station City Rajpura, District Patiala.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that alleged recovery from the petitioner is intoxicant tablets containing tramadol with a total weight of 383 grams (commercial); Diphenoxylate Hydrochloride with a total weight of 65.2 grams (commercial) and Alprazolam with a total weight of 26 grams (non-commercial). The petitioner is in custody for over 02 years and 10 months.

Learned State counsel contends that the petitioner is also involved in another case under the NDPS Act wherein recovery of commercial quantity of 1800 tablets of alprazolam was effected from him. She further states that 04 out of 10 prosecution witnesses have been examined and every effort shall be made to examine the remaining witnesses on 10.02.2022.

In view of the serious allegations against the petitioner and his involvement in another case under the NDPS Act wherein commercial quantity of contraband has been recovered, I do not intend to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner at this stage.

The petition is dismissed at this stage.

However, in view of long custody of the petitioner, the trial Court is directed to conclude the trial expeditiously.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

January 18, 2022
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Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No