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

CRM-M No.54093 of 2019 (O&M)

Date of decision: 08.03.2022

Gurpreet Singh @ Gopi

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Ms. Satwant Mehta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in FIR No.41 dated 19.03.2018 registered under Section 22 of the NDPS Act, at Police Station Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran.

As per the allegations in the FIR, registered at the instance of ASI Narinder Singh, while on a petrol duty, 02 persons were seen coming on a motorcycle, who became perplexed on seeing the police party and by throwing the polythene packet from the pocket of the trouser, they tried to turn back and were apprehended by the police. Thereafter, the recovery of 1000 intoxicant tablets of ALPRAZOLAM was effected from the petitioner and 700 intoxicant tablets were recovered from the co-accused of the petitioner namely Manpreet.

Counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner was granted interim bail awaiting the report of FSL and thereafter, he has surrendered back.

Reply by way of affidavit of the Deputy Superintendent of

Police, Sub-Division Valtoha Camp at Bhikhiwind, District Tarn Taran, is taken on record in which, after verifying the facts of the FIR, it is stated that the recovery effected from the petitioner, falls in the commercial quantity as per the FSL report. As per Para 6 of the affidavit, the petitioner is involved in total 06 FIRs registered under the NDPS Act and 01 FIR registered under Section 376-D IPC.

After hearing the counsel for the parties and looking into the antecedents of the petitioner, who is involved in as many as 06 FIRs under the NDPS Act, I find no ground to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner.

Dismissed.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No