

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

Sr. No.205

CRM-M-4339-2023 (O&M)

Date of Decision : February 01, 2023

Jagdish

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. Sameer S Tiwari, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Himmat Singh, DAG, Haryana.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

CRM-3984-2023

Allowed as prayed for.

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This petition has been filed for grant of regular bail in FIR No.298, dated 04.07.2022, registered at Police Station City Tohana, Distt. Fatehabad, under Section 18-C of NDPS Act, 1985.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner has undergone actual custody in excess of six months. There is no other criminal case pending against him. The trial is not likely to be concluded at an early date as even challan has not yet been presented. Thus, he may be granted regular bail.

Custody certificate dated 31.01.2023 checked by Sh.Vikram Singh, Deputy Superintendent, Central Jail No.2, Hisar has been filed in Court. The same is taken on record. A perusal thereof shows that the petitioner has undergone actual custody of 06 months and 27 days and there

is no other criminal case pending against him.

Learned State counsel concedes that challan has not yet been presented.

Keeping in view the fact that the trial is not likely to be concluded at an early date, the period of custody undergone as well as the fact that there is no other criminal case pending against the petitioner, I deem it appropriate to grant him regular bail. Accordingly, the petition is allowed. He is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

February 01, 2023

Ankur

(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable	No