

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-33361-2023

Date of decision: 14.07.2023

Kuldeep Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Shiv Charan Bhola, Advocate for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking the concession of anticipatory bail in case FIR No.78 dated 17.10.2018 under Section 21/61/85 of the NDPS Act registered at Police Station Mansa Devi Complex, Panchkula, District Panchkula.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the petitioner was released on regular bail by the Trial Court vide order dated 16.11.2018. The petitioner was regularly appearing before the Trial Court, however, on 03.02.2023 the petitioner could not appear before the Trial Court on account of noting down a wrong date, due to which the Trial Court cancelled the bail/surety bonds of the petitioner and he has been now summoned through arrest warrants. Learned counsel submits that the petitioner is willing and ready to appear, and surrender before the Trial Court. Hence, in the aforementioned facts and circumstances, the petitioner be protected till his appearance before the Trial Court and with directions to the Trial Court that his bail application, which he would be filing on his surrender, be decided

expeditiously.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On asking of the Court, Ms. Trishanjali Sharma, DAG, Haryana accepts notice on behalf of respondent No.1-State.

5. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is disposed of with directions to the petitioner to appear and surrender before the Trial Court within 07 days from today. Till then, no coercive steps be taken against the petitioner.

6. It is made clear that in case, the petitioner fails to surrender before the Trial Court within 07 days from today, this order shall be of no avail to him. In case, on appearance and surrender, the petitioner moves an application for bail before the Trial Court, the same shall be decided expeditiously by the Trial Court in accordance with law.

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No