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AT CHANDIGARH

Neutral Citation No. 2023:PHHC:110880

CRM-M-37717-2022

Date of Decision: August 24, 2023

Ramandeep Singh @ Ravi

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- Mr. Gurtej Singh Kuraiwala, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. M.S. Nagra, AAG, Punjab.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J.(Oral)

Fresh power of attorney has been filed on behalf of the petitioner.

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. is for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.143, dated 14.06.2022, under Section 22(c) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Lambi, District Sri Muktsar Sahib.

As per allegations, 980 tablets of Clovedol-100 SR were recovered from the possession of petitioner Ramandeep Singh @ Ravi along with Jagseer Singh @ Seera and Sant Ram.

It is contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the total weight of the tramadol hydrochloride ingredient in the recovered contraband was 248 grams, which falls under the non-commercial category. Learned counsel further contends that the petitioner is already in custody for the last more than 01 years and 02 months; and that he has no criminal antecedent.

Although status report has not been filed, but learned State counsel does not dispute the fact that recovered quantity of contraband falls under non-commercial category. It is also stated that no criminal case is pending against him.

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Custody certificate placed on record by learned State counsel reveals that petitioner is in custody for the last 01 year, 02 months and 05 days.

Having regard to all the aforesaid facts and circumstances, but without commenting anything on the merits of the case, petitioner is admitted to bail. He is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

Allowed.

August 24, 2023
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(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

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