

S. No.244

2023:PHHC:154243

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

CRM-M-59907 of 2023

Date of Decision:04.12.2023

Manu Kumar

.....Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DEEPAK GUPTA

Present:- Mr. S.S. Rana, Advocate for the petitioner.

DEEPAK GUPTA, J. (Oral)

By way of present petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C., petitioner has prayed for grant of regular bail in case FIR No.269 dated 06.09.2023 registered under Section 20 (Act No.61) of NDPS Act, 1985 at Police Station City Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar, Mohali (Punjab).

As per allegations, 28 kg. of ganja was recovered from the possession of co-accused Chandan and Rani Devi. It is alleged that on the disclosure statement of co-accused Chandan, petitioner was nominated to the effect that he (Chandan) used to store the contraband at the place of petitioner.

Learned counsel contends that petitioner has been falsely implicated on the basis of disclosure statement of co-accused. Petitioner is not involved in any case nor any recovery was effected from the place of the petitioner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. P.S. Pandher, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent- State.

Learned State Counsel could not refute the afore-said contentions to the effect that no recovery was effected from the place of the petitioner.

Custody certificate has been placed on record which reveals that petitioner is not involved in any other case. He is in custody for the last 02 months 24 days.

In view of the afore-said facts and circumstances, but without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed. Petitioner is admitted to bail on his furnishing bail bonds and surety bonds to the satisfaction of learned trial Court/ Duty Magistrate concerned.

December 04, 2023
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(DEEPAK GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	Yes/No