

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

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2024:PHHC:001524

CRM-M-829-2024

Date of decision: January 9th, 2024

Manpreet Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Satnam Singh Thakur, Advocate
with Mr. Anshul Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner is seeking quashing of order dated 13.10.2023 (Annexure P-5) passed by the trial Court vide which his bail has been cancelled and non-bailable warrant of arrests have been issued against him in case FIR No.161 dated 01.09.2022 under Section 22 of the NDPS Act registered at Police Station Sadar Jagraon, District Ludhiana.

2. At the outset, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner is ready to appear and surrender before the trial Court, and therefore, he be protected till then.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On asking of the Court, Mr. Mr. Arun Luthra, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent.

5. I have heard learned counsel for the parties and perused the relevant material on record.

6. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is disposed of with direction to the

petitioner to appear and surrender before the trial Court within one week from today and move appropriate application for grant of bail. Till then, no coercive steps shall be taken against the petitioner. The trial Court, on such application being moved, shall decide it expeditiously, in accordance with the provisions of law. However, it is made clear that in case the petitioner fail to surrender before the Court below within the above stipulated time period, this order shall be of no avail to him, thereafter.

January 9th, 2024
Puneet

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No