

2024:PHHC:061910

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-22508-2024
Date of Decision : May 06, 2024

JATINDER SINGH

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : Mr. Vivek Kathuria, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Pardeep Bajaj, DAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed for seeking anticipatory bail in FIR No.70 dated 4.9.2019, under Sections 21/22 of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, registered at Police Station Balachour, District SBS Nagar.
2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner was regularly appearing before the learned trial Court concerned and only on one date i.e. 28.11.2023 he could not appear, as he was suffering from fever and, therefore, his bail bonds were cancelled and surety bonds were forfeited to the State and non-bailable warrants were issued against him. He further submits that the petitioner is ready and willing to join the proceedings before the learned trial Court concerned.
3. In view of the above, the instant petition is **disposed** of with a direction to the petitioner to appear before the learned trial Court within 10 days from today. In case the petitioner surrenders before the learned

trial Court concerned, within the prescribed time period and move an application for regular bail, the same shall be heard and decided on the same day after giving an adequate opportunity of hearing to the parties concerned. Till then the arrest of the petitioner shall remain stayed.

4. **Disposed of** accordingly.
5. In case, the petitioner fails to surrender before the learned trial Court concerned within 10 days from today, the interim protection shall be deemed to be *ipso-facto* vacated without any further reference to this Court.

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(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned.	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable.	:	Yes/No