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

CRM-M-46684-2024

Date of decision:13.11.2024

AMRITPAL SINGH

...Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE KARAMJIT SINGH

Present: Mr. Atul Lakhanpal, Sr. Advocate with
Ms. Shikha Charak, Advocate and
Ms. Caral, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Parveen Kumar Aggarwal, Deputy A.G., Haryana.

KARAMJIT SINGH, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Section 482 of BNSS, 2023 seeking grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in criminal case having FIR No.177 dated 12.08.2024 registered under Sections 21/61/85 of NDPS Act at Police Station Sector- 14, Panchkula, Haryana.

2. The FIR was registered against one Ajay @ Harman from whom police recovered 45 gm 89 mg of heroin on 12.08.2024 and thereafter the petitioner was nominated as accused on the basis of disclosure statement suffered by aforesaid Ajay @ Harman.

3. On the last date of hearing, petitioner was granted interim bail with direction to join investigation with the police on the ground that the recovery effected from co-accused comes under non-commercial



quantity, thus is not covered by stringent provisions of Section 37 of NDPS Act.

4. Today, counsel for the petitioner apprised the Court that in light of the previous order dated 19.09.2024, the petitioner has joined investigation with the police and is having no criminal history.

5. State counsel on instructions from ASI Rakesh has not refuted the aforesaid assertions made by counsel for the petitioner and further submits that petitioner who is having no criminal antecedents has already joined investigation and is not required by the police for further investigation or custodial interrogation.

6. In view of the above, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the present petition is allowed and order of interim bail dated 19.09.2024 is hereby made absolute subject to the conditions as envisaged under Section 482(2) of BNSS, 2023.

13.11.2024
Priyanka Thakur

(KARAMJIT SINGH)
JUDGE

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