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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

(220)

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Date of Decision: 22.07.2024

Ninder Kaur

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present: Ms. Sukhpreet Kaur, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Adesh Pal Singh, AAG, Punjab.

SANJIV BERRY, J.(ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of regular bail to the petitioner in case FIR No.120 dated 03.09.2023 under Sections 21(b) & 29 of the NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Adampur, District Jalandhar (Rural).
2. It has *inter alia* contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that petitioner is in custody since 03.09.2023 and despite the *challan* having been presented, only one witness has been examined by learned trial Court out of 9 witnesses cited by the prosecution and the next date is 07.08.2024 before the learned trial Court. She further submits that learned trial Court may be directed to dispose of the trial in an expeditious manner and she does not press the bail application at this stage.
3. The learned State counsel apprises that one witness has already been examined out of 9 witnesses cited by the prosecution and prosecution will try to conclude the trial by examining the remaining witnesses in an expeditious manner.

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view the specific submissions made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is disposed of as being not pressed at this stage. However, keeping in view the fact that petitioner is a lady in custody since 03.09.2023, it is desired from the learned trial Court to dispose of the trial in an expeditious manner by giving short adjournments. Since the witnesses as cited by the prosecution are police officials, SSP Jalandhar is also directed to ensure the presence of the witnesses as cited by the prosecution before the learned trial Court on the stipulated date in pursuance to the summons issued by the learned trial Court.

5. Disposed of accordingly.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

22.07.2024

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