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

CRM-M-6693-2025

Date of decision: 05.02.2025

Sandeep Singh @ Seepa

.... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana

.... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Raman Singla, Advocate, for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner, under Section 482 of Cr.P.C./528 of BNSS, 2023, is seeking quashing of impugned order dated 04.01.2025 (Annexure P-4) passed by learned Additional Sessions Judge, Fatehabad, vide which, bail of the petitioner has been cancelled and his bail bonds have been forfeited to the State and warrant of arrest has been issued against him in case FIR No.610, dated 08.11.2017, under Section 18 of NDPS Act, 1985 and Section 489 of IPC, registered at Police Station City Fatehabad, District Fatehabad.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that it is on account of noting a wrong date, the impugned order has been passed. Non-appearance of the petitioner is neither deliberate nor intentional. Learned counsel further submits that the petitioner is ready and willing to appear and surrender before the trial Court. Hence, in the aforementioned facts

and circumstances, the petitioner be protected till his appearance before the trial Court and directions be given to the trial Court that his bail application, which he would be filing on his surrender, be decided expeditiously.

3. Notice of motion.

4. On asking of the Court, Mr. Rahul Mohan, Senior DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State.

5. In view of the limited prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is disposed of with the following directions:

The petitioner is to appear and surrender before the trial Court within 07 days from today. Till then, no coercive steps be taken against the petitioner. This is contingent upon the petitioner paying a cost of Rs.15,000/- to be deposited with the District Legal Services Authority concerned.

6. It is made clear that in case, the petitioner fails to surrender before the trial Court within 07 days from today, this order shall be of no avail to him thereafter. In case, on appearance and surrender, the petitioner moves an application for bail, the trial Court shall make earnest efforts to decide the same expeditiously, in accordance with law.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

February 05, 2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned:
Whether reportable:

Yes/No
Yes/No