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

CRM-M-18403-2025

Date of decision: 03.04.2025

Jugraj Singh

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR**Present:** Mr. Rajiv Kumar Saini, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Subhash Godara, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

The present petition has been filed under Section 482 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking anticipatory bail in case bearing FIR No.06 dated 15.01.2025 under Section 21(c)/29 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Sadar Patti, District Tarn Taran.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that the petitioner is not named in the FIR (*supra*). He has been nominated only on the basis of disclosure statement made by co-accused while in police custody which has no evidentiary value in the eyes of law. He further submits that apart from disclosure statement, there is no other evidence against the petitioner.

Per contra, the learned State counsel opposes the prayer made by counsel for the petitioner on the ground that a huge quantity of more than 05 kg of *heroin* has been recovered and the petitioner is the supplier. He further submits that the petitioner was previously involved in a case where a substantial recovery of *heroin* was made. In this case, the contraband was allegedly transported *via* drone. Additionally, along with the heroin, a sum of

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Rs.17.50 lakh drug money, as well as arms and ammunition, were also recovered.

Having heard learned counsel for the parties and keeping in view antecedents of the petitioner and the huge recovery made in the present case, custodial interrogation of the petitioner is required to unearth the truth, therefore, no ground is made out to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioner and thus, the present petition is hereby dismissed.

(HARPREET SINGH BRAR)
JUDGE

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