



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

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CRM-M-58297-2025
Date of decision: 09.04.2026

SUKHDEV KUMAR ALIAS SONUPetitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJABRespondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present: - Mr. S.S. Dhillon, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Dr. (Ms.) Savi Nagpal, Asst. A.G. Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Challenge in the present petition is to the order dated 07.07.2025 passed by the Special Judge, Bathinda, in case bearing FIR No.98 dated 09.6.2023 registered under Section 21(b) of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 at Police Station Nehianwala, District Bathinda, whereby the surety/bail bonds were cancelled and forfeited to the State and non-bailable warrants of arrest have been issued against the petitioner.

Reply by way of affidavit of Pritpal Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Bhuchio, District Bathinda already stands filed on behalf of respondent-State and the same is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter alia* contends that pursuant to the order dated 16.10.2025 passed by this Court, the petitioner has surrendered before the trial Court whereupon he has been admitted to interim bail.

Learned State counsel does not dispute the aforesaid facts.

Heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the petitioner has surrendered before the trial Court and his custodial interrogation is not required, the present petition is allowed and the interim order dated 16.10.2025 is made absolute.

APRIL 09, 2026
Vishal Sharma

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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