

240 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

2026 PHHC 013000

CRM-M-91-2026 (O&M)
Date of Decision: 14.01.2026RAJ ... PETITIONER
VERSUS
STATE OF HARYANA ... RESPONDENT

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE H.S.GREWAL

Present:- Mr. Kushager Goyal, Advocate for the petitioner.

H.S. GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking regular bail under Section 483 of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) in FIR No.56 dated 05.03.2025, under Section 20(C) of Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, registered at Police Station Ding, District Sirsa, Haryana.
2. The case of the prosecution is that 10 Kg 470 gms of *ganja* was recovered from the possession of the petitioner.
3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the recovered quantity of contraband does not fall under the commercial quantity. The petitioner has undergone actual custody for a period of 07 months. Moreover, the petitioner is not involved in any other case.
4. Notice of motion.
5. Mr. Vijay Kumar, AAG Haryana accepts notice on behalf of the State and vehemently opposes the prayer for grant of regular bail to the petitioner on the ground of gravity of allegations. He has filed the custody certificate in Court, which is taken on record. As per the custody certificate, the petitioner has undergone actual custody for a period of 07 months.

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7. The alleged quantity of contraband does not fall under the commercial quantity. The petitioner has undergone actual custody for a period of 07 months. The trial of the case is yet to commence and, therefore, continuous detention of the petitioner would not serve the ends of justice. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the present case, this Court deems it fit to grant the concession of regular bail to the petitioner during the pendency of the trial.

8. Therefore, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the instant petition is allowed. The petitioner is ordered to be released on regular bail on his furnishing requisite bail bonds, surety bonds to the satisfaction of the trial Court/Duty Magistrate/Chief Judicial Magistrate concerned.

9. It is clarified that if on bail so granted through the instant order the petitioner is found indulging in any other criminal case, it shall be open to the State to seek cancellation of his bail.

14.01.2026

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

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Yes/No

Yes/No

(H.S.GREWAL)

JUDGE