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CRM-M-15174-2020

Date of decision: 30.6.2020

Dara alias Didar Singh ...... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana ...... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARINDER SINGH SIDHU

Present: Mr. C.P. Tiwana, Advocate for petitioner.

Mr. Vikrant Pamboo, DAG Haryana.

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## HARINDER SINGH SIDHU, J.

The case has been taken up by way of Video Conference as per instructions in view of COVID-19 pandemic.

This is a petition filed under Section 439 Cr.P.C. for grant of bail in case FIR No. 53, dated 20.3.2020, registered under Section 18 of NDPS Act at Police Station Garhi, Tehsil Narwana, District Jind.

The allegations against the petitioner are that 50 kg opium plants of opium was recovered from the fields of petitioner.

Learned counsel for petitioner states that FSL has not been received so far. Incomplete challan has been filed against petitioner. He is in custody since 20.3.2020. Though, 4 other cases under the Excise Act were registered against petitioner, however, he has been acquitted in those cases.

Considering the aforesaid facts and circumstances and situation prevalent on account of COVID-19 and the fact that the trial of the case may take a long time, this petition is allowed. He is ordered to be released on bail on his furnishing bail and surety bonds to the satisfaction of Trial Court/Duty Magistrate concerned.

(HARINDER SINGH SIDHU) JUDGE

30.6.2020

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Whether reasoned order: Yes / No

Whether reportable : Yes / No