

N THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE K.HARIPAL

FRIDAY, THE 30<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JULY 2021 / 8TH SRAVANA, 1943

BAIL APPL. NO. 4217 OF 2021

CRIME NO. 06/2020 OF EXCISE RANGE OFFICE, KUZHALMANNAM, PALAKKAD

PETITIONER/ACCUSED:

SUHAIL  
AGED 26 YEARS  
S/O. MUHAMMED KUTTY,  
KADIYAPPURAM HOUSE,  
ATHIRUMADA DESOM,  
KALPAKANCHERY VILLAGE,  
TIRUR TALUK,  
MALAPPURAM DISTRICT.

BY ADVS.  
P.T.SHEEJISH  
P.K.PURUSH  
HARIKIRAN  
P.SREELAKSHMI  
A.ABDUL RAHMAN (A-1917)  
JASHITHA VIJAYAN  
AKHILA SRIDHARAN  
STEPHY GRACE RAJ

RESPONDENT/STATE:

STATE OF KERALA  
REPRESENTED BY THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,  
HIGH COURT OF KERALA,  
ERNAKULAM - 682 031.

BY SRI. SANTHOSH PETER, SENIOR PUBLIC PROSECUTOR

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 30.07.2021,  
THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

**ORDER**

Petitioner is the sole accused in Crime No. 6/2020 of Excise Range Office, Kuzhalmannam, which was registered alleging offence under Section 20(b)(ii)(C) and 63 of the NDPS Act. It is alleged that on 18.12.2020 at 6.00 P.M., he was found transporting 37.750 kgs of ganja and 1.050 kgs of hasish oil in a car bearing Registration No. KL-55-AC-6983 and was intercepted by the Excise Inspector at Kuzhalmannam junction. He was arrested along with the contraband and since then is in judicial custody.

2. I heard the learned counsel on both sides.

3. The learned Public Prosecutor has submitted that charge sheet has already been laid on 22.04.2021 and the case is pending before the Sessions Court, Palakkad.

4. As commercial quantity is involved, embargo under Section 37 of the NDPS Act is attracted and the petitioner is not entitled to get bail.

The application is dismissed. The learned Sessions Judge is requested to strive to try and dispose of the case at the earliest.

**SD/-**

**K.HARIPAL**

**JUDGE**

**DCS/02.08.2021**