

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

**CRM-M No.13425 of 2022 (O&M)  
Date of decision: 31.03.2022**

Balinderjit@ Balinderjeet @ Cheema ....Petitioner  
 Versus  
 State of Punjab ....Respondent

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN**

**Present:** Mr. Hitesh Sood, Advocate  
 for the petitioner.

**ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN J. (Oral)**

Prayer in this petition is for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in FIR No.0165 dated 24.10.2018 registered under Sections 15/61/85 of the NDPS Act (Section 29/61/85 of the NDPS Act added later) at Police Station Bhogpur, District Jalandhar (Rural).

Counsel for the petitioner has argued that the petitioner was granted the concession of regular bail and he was appearing before the trial Court, however, on 04.02.2022, he fell ill and could not appear before the trial Court on the date fixed i.e. 07.02.2022 and his bail/surety bonds were cancelled. It is also submitted that the petitioner undertake to appear before the trial Court and apply for regular bail.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab who is present in the Court accepts notice on behalf of the respondent – State and has not disputed the factual position.

In view of the above, the present petition is allowed and the petitioner is directed to appear before the trial Court within a period

of 15 days from today and the trial Court will release the petitioner on bail subject to his furnishing fresh bail/surety bonds and on payment of costs of Rs.3,000/- to be deposited with the District Legal Services Authority, concerned.

The payment of costs shall be a pre-condition before accepting the bail/surety bonds of the petitioner.

Disposed of.

**(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)  
JUDGE**

**31.03.2022**  
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Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No