

State Vs. Lovepreet Singh @ Labhi

Present: Sh. Rajesh Bansal, Advocate counsel for applicant-accused.
Sh. Sajan, APP for the State.

1. Arguments heard on the bail application filed by the accused-applicant Lovepreet Singh @ Labhi son of B

oota Singh resident of village Tungwali, Tehsil and Distt. Bathinda through counsel, in case FIR No.137 dated 02.09.2023 under section 27 of NDPS Act registered at police station Nathana.

2. It has been submitted in the application that the accused-applicant has been falsely implicated in this case. The present case has been planted upon the accused-applicant by the police by picking and detaining him in illegal custody by the police. The accused-applicant did not commit the alleged crime. The accused-applicant was arrested in this case on 02.09.2023 and since then he is in custody. Nothing is to be recovered from him.

3. On the other hand, learned APP for the Stated opposed the bail application submitting that the offence committed by the accused-applicant is serious in nature and as such, the accused-applicant is not entitled to concession of bail.

4. ASI Chamkaur Singh no.1017/BTI, Police Station Nathana has come and presented statement that he has brought police record pertaining to this case. As per the record available with him, no other offence except above mentioned section has been added in the present FIR. He has further stated that accused/applicant has not moved any bail application in any other Court except the present bail application.

5. I have heard Ld.counsel for the applicant-accused as well as learned APP for the State.

6. The present case has been registered against the accused-applicant under Section 27 of NDPS Act on the secret information that the accused-applicant is habitual of consuming heroin and he can be apprehended while consuming heroin. The accused-applicant was arrested in this case on 02.09.2023 and since then he is in custody. Accused-applicant is

no more required for any investigation purposes. No useful purpose will be served by keeping the accused-applicant in custody rather it will be a burden on State Exchequer. As such, the accused-applicant **Lovepreet Singh @ Labhi** is admitted to bail on his furnishing bail bonds in the sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety in the like amount. Accordingly, the present application stands disposed of. Papers be attached with relevant papers this case, after due compliance.

Pronounced in open Court.
15.09.2023
Prem Kumar

(Lakhbir Singh)
Judicial Magistrate Ist Class
UID No. PB00612