

**IN THE COURT OF TARNTARAN SINGH BINDRA,
ADDITIONAL SESSIONS JUDGE/JSC, RUPNAGAR
(UID No.PB0199)**

State of Punjab

Vs.

Sarabjit Singh @ Shanti

F.I.R No.59 dated 09.05.2026
Under Sections: 18 and 27-61-85 of NDPS Act
Police Station: Singh Bhagwantpur

Present: Sh.Hamnath Choudhary, Advocate for the accused-applicant.
Sh.S.S.Saini, Addl. Public Prosecutor for State.

ORDER

Brief facts of the case, which require consideration for disposal of the present bail application, are that on 09.05.2026, police party headed by ASI Jarnail Singh was present near village Seeho Majra. Then, one motorcycle bearing registration No.PB-16F-8216 came from the side of village Seeho Majra. Driver of said motorcycle tried to turn the motorcycle on seeing police party, but he was apprehended. Said person disclosed his name as Sarabjit Singh (accused-applicant herein). 500 gram Opium was recovered from possession of accused-applicant, which was taken into police possession. Accused-applicant was formally arrested. He is in custody, which necessitated filing of present bail application under Section 483 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (in short BNSS).

2. Police record has been produced by ASI Jarnail Singh.
3. Learned Additional Public Prosecutor appeared on behalf of State/respondent and contested the present bail application.

4. This Court has heard learned counsel for the accused-applicant as well as learned Additional Public Prosecutor for the State and has gone through the record.

5. Admittedly, accused-applicant is in custody since 09.05.2026. Recovery has already been effected from him. Although, one more case has been claimed to be registered against accused-applicant under NDPS Act, but there is no denial to the argument of learned counsel for accused-applicant that accused-applicant has been acquitted in said date. Conclusion of investigation and presentation of challan, will take some time. Accordingly, accused-applicant **Sarabjit Singh @ Shanti** is ordered to be released on **regular bail** on his furnishing personal bond in the sum of Rs.50,000/- with one surety in the like amount, to the satisfaction of learned Illaqa/Duty Magistrate. Copy of this order be sent to learned Illaqa Magistrate.

6. The observations made above, shall not have any bearings on the decision of main case on merits.

7. In view of the letter bearing No.DLSA/2025/4712 dated 10.07.2025, a copy of this order be forwarded to Jail Superintendent and to the Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Rupnagar, through e-mail by the Ahlmad.

8. Police record be returned. These papers be attached with the challan/remand papers, if pending in this Court, otherwise the same be consigned to Record Room, Rupnagar.

Pronounced in Open Court
Dated :- 01.07.2026

Jaswinder Singh, STG-I

(Tarntaran Singh Bindra),
Additional Sessions Judge,
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