

CNR No: PBJL010003572021

CIS No: BA/159/2021

RAMESH KUMAR ALIAS KAKA VS STATE OF PUNJAB etc.

Present: Sh. VIVEK HANDA Advocate for the petitioner.
Sh. Gagandeep Addl. PP for the State assisted by SI Joginder Pal.

The Trial Court record is received and perused.

Heard.

The present petitioner has got absented from the trial proceedings and later on was unable to appear before the learned trial Court on account of imposition of lockdown/curfew due to the pandemic arisen because of the virus Covid-19. Furthermore, the alleged recovery of 1 ½ grams of Heroin, which is very small quantity, has already been effected from the petitioner during the course of investigation. Furthermore, the petitioner has also remained in police custody and judicial custody during the course of investigation and thus no useful purpose will be served by sending the petitioner behind the bars once again. Furthermore, the alleged offences are triable by the Learned Judicial Magistrate First Class and thus is not so serious in nature.

In view of the above, the present petitioner is directed to appear and surrender before the learned trial Court/Illaq Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate within 7 days from today and in the event of his arrest, he shall be released on bail under Section 438 of Cr.P.C to the satisfaction of trial Court/Illaq Magistrate/ Duty Magistrate. The present application is allowed in the above terms. File be consigned to record room.

Date of Order: 02.02.2021

DEEPAK CHAUHAN*

(Parminder Singh Grewal)

Addl. Sessions Judge-VI

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