



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

CRM-M-12032-2026
Date of Decision:14.05.2026

Patras Masih

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and Anr.

...Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

Present: Mr. Manbir Singh Basra, Advocate
 for the petitioner.

Mr. Charanpreet Singh, A.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Rajiv Sharma, Special Public Prosecutor
for respondent No.2-NCB.

N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has filed the third petition under Section 483 of B.N.S.S with a prayer to grant regular bail to him in case NCB Crime No.11/2022 dated 28.01.2022, under Sections 8,18,21,23,29,60 of NDPS Act, registered at Police Station Kalanaur, District Gurdaspur.
2. Custody Certificate of the petitioner has been filed by learned State counsel in the Court today and the same is taken on record.
3. Reply has been filed on behalf of respondent No.2 and the same is also taken on record.
4. After arguing at length, learned counsel for the petitioner wishes to withdraw the present petition.
5. Dismissed as withdrawn.



6. From the perusal of the record, it is apparent that the petitioner and another accused in the present case are facing the prosecution, which has been initiated at the instance of Intelligence Officer, Narcotic Bureau, Amritsar. The Court has also been informed that during the process of recovery of contraband and illegal weapons from the accused in the instant case, the accused had fired shots at the Border Security Force also which further aggravates the offence. It is equally shocking to notice that only four witnesses out of 18 witnesses have been examined so far and apparently, the prosecution has been negligent in conducting the trial.

7. The Trial Court is directed to expedite the trial in the present case and to conclude the same within a period of four months from the next date of hearing fixed before the Court.

8. A copy of this order be sent to Director, Narcotic Bureau, Amritsar and he is directed to issue appropriate directions to the Public Prosecutor to render all assistance to the Trial Court.

14.05.2026
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether reportable	:	Yes/No