

RAJASTHAN HIGH COURT

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HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
AT JODHPUR

S.B. Criminal Miscellaneous Bail Application No. 8139/2026
CNR: RJHC010573182026 | URN: CRLMB / 17658U / 2026

Lal Chand S/o Bholu Ram, Aged About 33 Years, Resident Of 33
Gb,tehsil Srivijaynagar, District Sriganganagar Raj (Lodged In
Sub Jail, Anoopgarh)

-----Petitioner

Versus

State Of Rajasthan, Through PP

-----Respondent

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Abhishek Aggarwal
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Narendra Gehlot, PP with Mr. Om Prakash Choudhary

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR JAIN

Order

24/07/2026

1. The present bail application under Section 483 of BNSS is filed by the applicant-accused **Lal Chand S/o Bholu Ram** seeking bail in respect of a criminal case registered as FIR No.73/2026 dated 27.04.2026 registered at P.S. Ramsinghpur District - Sriganganagar, for the offence under Sections 8/15 and 25 of NDPS Act.
2. Learned counsel for the applicant submits that the applicant has been falsely implicated in the matter and the investigation against him is complete and he is no more required in investigation. He further submits that there are no chance of fleeing of applicant accused from the jurisdiction of this Hon'ble Court. He also submits that the

applicant undertakes not to repeat offence and cooperate with investigation/trial, which will take time.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner, while referring to the order dated 12.05.2026, has submitted that the driver of the vehicle, Amarjeet Singh, was granted bail by this Hon'ble Court and that, during interception, the recovery was effected from the car. He also submitted that the present petitioner was sitting as a passenger and was not in control of the car. He further submitted that there are criminal antecedents against the petitioner, but he undertakes not to repeat any offence.
4. Learned Public Prosecutor has vehemently opposed the bail application and submitted that the allegations are grave and serious in nature.
5. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner-accused and learned Public Prosecutor. Perused the material placed on record by both the parties.
6. On 12.05.2025, we allowed the bail application of Amarjeet Singh under Section 483 of the BNSS and observed as under::

"6. On 27.04.2026, the SHO of Police Station Ramsinghpur, District Sriganganagar, intercepted a car bearing registration No. HR-36-AC-5261, which was being driven by the present petitioner, Amarjeet Singh and in which Lalchand was accompanying him as a co-passenger. Upon search, 20.300 kg of poppy husk was recovered from a plastic gunny bag. The recovered quantity of the contraband is less than the commercial quantity and there are no criminal antecedents against the petitioner."

7. A perusal of the FIR dated 27.04.2026 indicates that, at the time of interception and during the proceedings, the car was being driven by Amarjeet Singh, whereas the present petitioner was sitting in the front seat and was not driving the vehicle. After investigation, the police filed a charge-sheet against Amarjeet Singh and the present petitioner under Section 8/15 of the NDPS Act. The petitioner is in custody, and the recovered quantity is less than the commercial quantity. There are five criminal cases registered against the petitioner, out of which three are under the NDPS Act.
8. Upon hearing the arguments and perusing the record, we have found that the applicant-accused is no more required in the investigation and he is in custody for quite some time. The further proceedings will take its own time, therefore, looking to entirety of facts and circumstances of the case and without expressing any opinion on merits of the case, the Court deems it appropriate to grant bail to the applicant-accused.
9. Thus, the instant bail application filed on behalf of applicant-accused **Lal Chand S/o Bholu Ram**, is hereby allowed and the applicant-accused is ordered to be released on bail upon furnishing a personal bond of ₹50,000/- with two sureties of like amount to the satisfaction of the Trial Court with the following conditions:-
 - (i) The applicant-accused shall mark his attendance at P.S. Ramsinghpur, District- Sriganganagar, on the first

and third Friday of every month till the disposal of the criminal case by the trial Court.

- (ii) The applicant-accused shall not tamper with evidence or influence the witness in any manner.
- (iii) The applicant-accused shall not indulge in any criminal activity and shall not repeat any criminal offence punishable under the Law.
- (iv) The applicant-accused shall attend the hearing of the Trial Court on the date fixed by the Trial court or as and when asked to appear before the Trial Court.
- (v) In case of any violation of above conditions, the bail granted to the applicant-accused shall be liable to be canceled.

10. The Registry is directed to send a copy of this order to the Trial Court through E-mail.

(ASHOK KUMAR JAIN),J