

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

CRM-M-28701-2018

Date of Decision:- 15.10.2018

Jaswinder Kaur

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab

... Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Kamal Narula, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. A.S.Sandhu, Addl. A.G. Punjab.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner seeks grant of anticipatory bail in respect of a case registered against her vide FIR No.110 dated 16.06.2017, under Sections 379 IPC and 21 Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation), 1957, at Police Station Sadar Jalalabad, District Fazilka.

The allegations, in nutshell, are that the petitioner has done illegal mining of sand on the land belonging of Provincial Government.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that she has falsely been implicated in the present case due to political vendetta.

On the other hand, learned State counsel has submitted that in view of the serious nature of allegations, no case for grant of anticipatory bail is made out. It has however, been informed that the petitioner has since joined investigation.

Having considered rival submissions addressed before this Court and in view of the fact that the petitioner has already joined

investigaiton and nothing is to be recovered from her and also bearing in mind that the petitioner is a lady, the petition is hereby accepted and interim directions issued vide order dated 12.07.2018 are made absolute subject to the condition that the petitioner shall appear before the Investigating Officer as and when directed and would fully cooperate with the investigation.

October 15, 2018

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No