

209 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA

AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-26536-2020(O&M)

Date of decision: 16.09.2020

Ram Singh and another

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present:- Mr.Inderjit Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners

Mr. Pawan Sharda, Sr. DAG, Punjab

Mr. P.S.Jammu, Advocate for the complainant

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners pray for grant of pre-arrest bail in a criminal case arising from FIR no. 187 dated 18.8.2020 registered under Section 379, 188 IPC and Section 21 of Mines Act at Police Station Maur, District Bathinda.

As per the case of the prosecution, the petitioners alongwith certain other persons have illegally quarried sand from the land of the first informants who are married daughters residing in houses of their in laws far away from the village.

Learned State counsel has forwarded photographs showing that pits of more than 10 feet depth have been dug and mining has been carried out with heavy duty machines. It is also claimed that petitioner no.2 is a habitual offender as another FIR no.260 dated 19.12.2018 with similar allegations is pending against him.

Keeping in view the facts of the case, this Court is not inclined to grant concession of pre-arrest bail to the petitioners.

Hence, dismissed.

16.09.2020
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No