

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

CRM-M-4351-2021

Date of Decision: 26.08.2021.

RANJIT SINGH

.....Petitioner

V/s.

STATE OF PUNJAB

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL.

(Through Video Conferencing)

Present: Mr. Ramneek Vasudeva, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Section 438 Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in a case FIR No.100, dated 17.07.2020, lodged under Sections 21(1), 4(1) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 registered at Police Station Kiratpur Sahib, District Rupnagar, Punjab.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that pursuant to order dated 29.01.2021, passed by this Court, the petitioner has joined the investigation. This fact is not disputed by the counsel for the State as well.

Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Raj Kumar, states that the petitioner is no longer required for further interrogation.

In view of the aforesaid, the petition is allowed and interim order dated 29.01.2021 is made absolute subject to the conditions laid down in Section 438(2) Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973.

August 26, 2021

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**[MANJARI NEHRU KAUL]
JUDGE**

Whether speaking / reasoned : *Yes /No.*

Whether Reportable : *Yes/No*