

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

CRM-M-35745-2022

Date of decision : 11.10.2022

Sukha @ Sukhbir

..... Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab

..... Respondent

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE PANKAJ JAIN

Present :- Mr. R.S. Dadwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Arun Gupta, AAG, Punjab.

PANKAJ JAIN, J. (ORAL)

On 16.08.2022, the following order was passed:-

“Apprehending his arrest in FIR No.41 dated 28.03.2021, registered under Sections 379, 120-B and 21 of Mining and Mineral Act, 1957 at Police Station Sidhwan Bet, District Ludhiana petitioner seeks pre-arrest bail.

Learned counsel for the petitioner *inter-alia* contends that neither anything is to be recovered from the petitioner nor is he required for custodial interrogation. Similarly situated persons have already been granted pre-arrest bail by learned Sessions Court.

Notice of motion 11.10.2022.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. H.S.Sullar, DAG, Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

In the meantime, in the event of arrest, the petitioner shall be released on interim bail subject to his furnishing personal and surety bonds to the satisfaction of the arresting officer/Investigating Officer. As and when called, the petitioner shall join the investigation. He shall abide by the conditions enumerated under Section 438(2) of the Cr.P.C.”

Today, learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Jarnail Singh, has stated that pursuant to the order dated 16.08.2022, the petitioner has joined investigation and is no longer required for custodial interrogation.

In view of above, the interim order dated 16.08.2022 passed by this Court is made absolute, subject to the conditions as enumerated under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

Petition stands disposed off.

(PANKAJ JAIN)
JUDGE

11.10.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No