

CRM-M-61285-2023

Date of decision: 14.02.2024

KULWINDER SINGH

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB

...RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ALOK JAIN

Present: Mr.Fateh Singh Dhillon, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Durgesh Garg, AAG, Punjab.

ALOK JAIN ,J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer is for grant of pre-arrest bail in case FIR No.059 dated 21.10.2023, under Sections 21(1)/4(1) of Mines and Minerals (Regulation of Development) Act, 1957, registered at Police Station City Balachaur, District SBS Nagar.

2. Vide order dated 06.12.2023, this Court while granting the concession of interim anticipatory bail directed the petitioner to join investigation.

3. Learned State counsel, on instructions submits that the petitioner has joined the investigation and his custodial interrogation is no longer required.

4. In view of above, the petition is allowed. The order dated 06.12.2023 granting interim anticipatory bail to the petitioner, is made absolute. However, the petitioner shall join the investigation as and when called upon to do so by the Investigating Agency and shall abide by the conditions of Section 438 (2) Cr.P.C.

5. However, it is made clear that this order shall not be construed as a parity qua any other co-accused.

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JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No