



2022:JHHC:30121

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JHARKHAND AT RANCHI
B.A. No.8338 of 2022

Dinesh Kumar Mehta Petitioner
Versus
The State of Jharkhand Opp. Party

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHASH CHAND

For the Petitioner : Mr. Sahilendra Jit, Advocate
For the State : Mr. P.D. Agrawal, Spl. P.P.

04/31.08.2022 Heard learned counsel for the applicant and learned Spl. P.P. for the State.

This bail application has been filed on behalf of the abovenamed applicant with prayer to release on bail in connection with Korrah P.S. Case No.110 of 2022 registered under Sections 379, 411, 414, 420/34 of the Indian Penal Code, Section 4/21 of the M.M.D.R. Act, Rule 9/13 of the Jharkhand Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation & Storage) Rules and Section 4/54 of JMMCAR Rules pending in the court of learned A.C.J.M., Hazaribag.

Learned counsel for the applicant has submitted that the F.I.R. of this case was lodged against five named accused including the applicant and unknown persons with the allegations that on 01.06.2022 after receiving the secret information, the informant along with police force carried out raid and found some persons involved in supply of illegally mined stone to the crushers situated in village Bonga. It is further alleged that the persons, who were present at the place of occurrence managed to flee away but one operator was apprehended, who was identified as Dinesh Kumar Mehta and he told that this crusher was being run by Raj Kumar Mehta and Bhagat Mehta.

Learned counsel for the applicant has submitted that in the F.I.R. the allegations are made in regard to illegal excavation of the stone and the applicant was simply labour. The applicant had no concern with the alleged offence and he was working there at the behest of the persons, who were excavating the stones. The applicant has been languishing in jail since 02.06.2022.

Learned A.P.P. appearing on behalf of the State vehemently opposed the contentions made by the learned counsel for the applicant.

In view of the submissions made and materials on record, the bail application of the applicant is hereby allowed. Let the applicant be released on bail on furnishing bail bond of Rs.20,000/-(Rupees Twenty Thousand) with two sureties of the like amount to the satisfaction of the court concerned in aforesaid case.

(Subhash Chand, J.)