

IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT  
CHANDIGARH

Crl. Misc. No.M-19849 of 2015

Date of decision:15.06.2015

Avtar Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE K. KANNAN**

Present : Mr. RKS Brar, Advocate  
for the petitioner.

**K. KANNAN, J. (ORAL)**

1. The petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C for direction to respondent Nos.1 and 2 against respondent Nos.3 to 6 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner.

2. Notice of motion. At the asking of the Court, Mr. Ranbir Singh Pathania, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of official respondents.

3. The petitioner states that the dispute is essentially of the civil nature and any right to secure the return of the money already paid under the agreement must be exercised only through a Civil Court and they cannot employ forces through police to recover the amount. The petitioner seeks for protection for his life and liberty. The petitioner will have a representation made to the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent, Senior Superintendent of Police, Patiala, who will consider the petitioner's request and extend such protection as the situation might warrant. It is needless to say that I have not concluded the rights of parties and the observations relating to the nature of complaint as being a matter of

civil nature is only restricted to this petition and will not conclude respective rights of parties to pursue the rights in accordance with law.

4. The Crl. Misc. petition is disposed of with the above direction.

**(K. KANNAN)**  
**JUDGE**

**June 15, 2015**  
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