

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

**CRM-M-23142 of 2015
DECIDED ON: FEBRUARY 02, 2016**

RAJESH

.....PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB & ORS

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

- 1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?**
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?**
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?**

Present: Mr. Suvir Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. J.S. Sekhon, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Kuldeep S. Chaudhary, Advocate
for respondents No.5 and 6.

JASPAL SINGH, J (ORAL)

Instant petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. preferred by Rajesh seeking directions to respondents No.2 to 4 to ensure his safety and security, who is facing threats to his life and liberty at the hands of respondents No.5 and 6 and call for the status report of the investigation.

2. At the very outset of arguments, on instructions from ASI Bhupinder Kumar, it has been submitted by learned State counsel that investigation in case FIR No. 62, dated March 22, 2014 registered at Police Station City Kharar, District SAS Nagar, Mohali has already been completed under the supervision of respondent No.3 and report under Section 173(2)

Cr.P.C has already been presented in the court of jurisdictional Magistrate on

January 30, 2016. Thus, the instant petition with regard to calling of status report in respect of investigation has rendered infructuous and is partly dismissed as such.

3. As far as prayer for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 to 4 to ensure the safety and security of petitioner at the hands of respondents No.5 and 6 is concerned, petitioner is at liberty to move an appropriate application/representation to respondent No.3 who after considering the threat perception shall provide the necessary protection, if so required to the petitioner.

4. Disposed of, accordingly.

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JUDGE