

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

CRM-M-28802 of 2016.
Decided on:-22.08.2016.

Pritam Kaur.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Jagjot Singh Lalli, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.PC is for issuance of directions to the respondents No.1 to 4 to complete and conclude the investigation in case FIR No.22 dated 10.2.2014 under Sections 420 and 120-B IPC registered at Police Station Shimlapuri, District Ludhiana and to file the report under Section 173 Cr.PC.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that though the FIR in question was registered on 10.2.2014, but the police has not concluded the investigation. He further states that earlier, respondents No.5 and 6 had approached this Court for quashing of the aforesaid FIR vide CRM-M-15139 of 2015. The said petition was dismissed as withdrawn vide order dated 9.10.2015 of this Court as the official respondents had stated that the accused have been found innocent and cancellation report has been prepared.

However, the final report under Section 173 Cr.PC has not been prepared and presented in the Court so far.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 4 only at this stage.

On asking of this Court, Mr. Gurinderjit Singh, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of these respondents.

Let requisite number of copies of paper book be given to learned State counsel during the course of the day.

Heard.

In view of the above and without commenting upon the merits of the case, respondent No.3 i.e. the Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana is directed to ensure conclusion of the investigation in the case and submission of the report under Section 173 Cr.PC before the concerned Court within a period of three months from today.

Disposed of.

August 22, 2016
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes / No

Whether Reportable: Yes / No