

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

**CRM-M No.38300 of 2017
Date of Decision : 11.10.2017**

Vijay Sharma

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA

Present : Mr. Raman Moga, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Luvinder Sofat, Asstt. Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4. A copy of the paper book be handed over to him during the course of the day.

In the instant petition, the petitioner seeks protection of his life and liberty from respondent No.4, who is allegedly in connivance with all the private respondents. His contention is that he has business related civil disputes with the private respondents but respondent No.4 is motivatedly harassing and threatening him with implication in false criminal cases.

In the circumstances without commenting on the merits of the petitioner's allegations, the matter is disposed off with the direction

upon respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar Rural to examine the petitioner's representation dated 19th September, 2017 (Annexure P-3) and to follow it up by appropriate steps in accordance with law. It is further directed that in the event of any criminal case being actually lodged against the petitioner, he shall be given adequate notice under Section 160(2) of the Cr.P.C. before resorting to any coercive measures against him.

October 11, 2017**Dpr****(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No