

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-40825-2016 (O&M)

Date of decision: 17.11.2017

**Rajinder Kumar Garg**

**.....Petitioner**

**versus**

**State of Punjab and others**

**.....Respondents**

**CORAM: Hon'ble Mr.Justice Kuldip Singh**

Present: Mr.G.S.Brar, Advocate for the petitioner  
Ms.Monika Jalota, DAG Punjab  
Mr.B.S.Sidhu, Advocate for the respondent no.6

- 1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers 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?*

**Kuldip Singh, J. (Oral)**

Status report by way of an affidavit of Susheel Kumar, PPS, Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib filed on behalf of respondent nos.1 to 4. He has stated that the Special Investigation Team, headed by him, has investigated the matter deeply. He has stated that the police is working on all the possible angles. It is further stated that from the circumstances of the case and investigation conducted by the deponent from all angles, it appears that Sahil Garg himself left the house under stress and depression and that he was involved in one sided love affair. From the evidence collected so far none is found involved in the missing of Sahil Garg, who was lastly seen by the witness Gurdev Singh near the berm of the Sarhind feeder wandering alone and thereafter, he was not seen by anybody. It is concluded that Sahil Garg might have committed suicide but it cannot be finally confirmed by the investigation agency till the recovery of dead

body or forthcoming of any witness who had seen the occurrence. But it is final that there was no foul play in the missing of Sahil Garg.

In the circumstances, Special Investigation Team is now directed to conclude the investigation not later than six months from the date of passing of this order into FIR 123 dated 23.10.2016 under Sections 364 read with Section 34 IPC registered at Police Station Gidderbaha, District Sri Muktsar Sahib and submit the final report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. before Illaqa Magistrate.

With these observations, the present petition stands disposed of.

17.11.2017

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(Kuldip Singh)

Judge

Whether speaking/ reasoned:

Yes

Whether Reportable:

No