

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH.**

CWP No.6956 of 2014 (O&M)
Date of decision: July 17, 2017

Jagroop Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJAN GUPTA

Present: Mr. Vishal Gupta, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Vikas Mohan Gupta, Addl. Advocate General, Punjab.
Mr. Aayush Gupta, Advocate for respondent No.5.

Rajan Gupta, J.

Petitioner has prayed for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus to direct transfer of investigation of FIR in question to a senior officer or to hand over the same to Crime Branch. Grievance of the petitioner is that he has been wrongly implicated in an FIR at the behest of respondent No.5. He did not commit any crime, whatsoever.

A complaint was submitted by respondent No.5 against the petitioner to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Ludhiana Rural to the effect that he entered into agreement to sell with the petitioner regarding land which he had purchased on the basis of agreement to sell from the co-accused. Complainant had paid Rs.65.00 lacs as earnest money and target date for execution of the sale deed was 15.6.2012. However, by the said date, no sale deed was executed in favour of the complainant, rather the land was transferred in favour of some other person.

Final report under section 173 Cr.P.C. has already been submitted by the investigating agency. There is, thus, no ground to transfer the investigation to another agency at this stage. It is open to the petitioner to take all the pleas before the trial court during the course of proceedings. Petition is without any merit and is hereby dismissed.

(RAJAN GUPTA)
JUDGE

July 17, 2017
'Rajpal'

Whether speaking / reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable:

Yes / No