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

CRM-M No.18112 of 2018
Date of Decision: 01.05.2018

Balamjit Singh

....Petitioner

Vs

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Ms. Avin K. Sandhu, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

Petitioner seeks issuance of necessary directions to respondents No.1 to 3 for fair inquiry on the complaint made to the Secretary, Punjab Vigilance Department, Chandigarh by complainant/respondents No.4 and 5.

Learned counsel for the petitioner refers to the guidelines issued by the Hon'ble Apex Court in Crl. Appeal No.1277 of 2013 SLP (CRL.) no.9127 of 2013 titled '**Arnesh Kumar vs State of Bihar**' 2014(3) RCR (Criminal) 527.

In case of co-accused in CRM-M No.13835 of 2018 titled 'Ravinder Kumar @ Babla vs State of Punjab and others', this Court has already taken note of the aforesaid facts and has passed the order with a direction to respondents No.2 and 3 to

look into the complaint of the petitioner therein in terms of parameters as laid down in Arnesh Kumar's case (supra) and to act in accordance with law without being influenced by any statement of fact made therein.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. Sandeep Kumar, D.A.G., Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.

In view of nature of order, which this Court proposes to pass there is no necessity of filing any reply, as no order prejudicial to the interest of either party is being passed.

Since the present prayer is also of the like nature, therefore, it would be just and expedient to dispose of the present petition in the same terms as done in case of co-accused in CRM-M No.13835 of 2018.

Ordered accordingly.

The representation filed by the petitioner dated 26.02.2018 shall be decided by respondents No.2 and 3 in accordance with law.

01.05.2018
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(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No