

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

Criminal Misc.No.M-21106 of 2018 (O&M)

Date of decision : 17.05.2018

Jaspal Singh alias Bittu

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI

Present: Mr. Ashok Singla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI, J.(Oral)

The petitioner has preferred the instant petition for issuance of direction to respondents especially respondent No.3 to consider the petitioner's complaint dated 16.03.2018 (Annexure P-8) and to register FIR against accused persons for commission of various offences under the Indian Penal Code as well as under the Punjab State Election Commission Act, 1994 for casting of bogus votes etc. by non-voters in the elections of Ward No.14 as act of casting of such votes by accused persons and commission of offence by the accused persons is clear cut visible in the videography CD (Annexure P-6) and photographs (Annexure P-7 colly) taken from the said CD.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has relied upon compact disk (CD) (Annexure P-6) and photographs (Annexure P-7 colly) as extracted therefrom. It has been asserted that 36 persons have committed offences under Sections 420 and 171-D IPC and Section 124 of the Punjab State Election Commission Act. It has been further submitted that the petitioner has already submitted election petition which is pending before the competent authority at Patiala under the Punjab State Election

Commission Act.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prays for the relief that the representation dated 17/18.12.2017 (Annexure P-3), moved to the Director General of Police, Patiala, by the petitioner be considered and decided in a time bound manner.

In view of above, respondent No.2-Director General of Police, Punjab, is directed to look into the said representation (Annexure P-3); take necessary steps, if so required, and decide the same expeditiously preferably within three months, as per law, after the receipt of certified copy of this order.

With aforesaid direction, this petition stands disposed of.

17.05.2018

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**(RAJ SHEKHAR ATTRI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No