

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

**Crl. Misc. No.M-2769 of 2018 (O&M)
Date of Decision: September 18, 2018**

Vinod Kumar

.....PETITIONER(s).

VERSUS

State of Punjab and others

.....RESPONDENT(s).

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURINDER GUPTA

Present: Mr. R.S. Rana, Advocate
for the petitioner (s).

SURINDER GUPTA, J.(Oral)

Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has confined his submission only for direction to Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib to look into the threat perception to the life and liberty of petitioner and take appropriate action in accordance with law. As per the petitioner, he has filed some complaints with Senior Superintendent of Police relating to misuse of funds by Municipal Councilor, Mandi Gobindgarh, who is posing threat to his life and liberty.

Without expressing any opinion on merits, this petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib to verify the threat perception to the life and liberty of petitioner as per submission of learned counsel for the petitioner and take appropriate action in accordance with law.

However, it is made clear that the above order will not be interpreted as providing protection to the petitioner from legal action taken in any civil, criminal or other proceedings initiated/pending against him in accordance with law.

For the allegations levelled in the representation (Annexure P-4) regarding misappropriation of funds by Municipal Councilor, petitioner will have liberty to avail other legal remedies available to him.

September 18, 2018
Sachin M.

(SURINDER GUPTA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: ***Yes/No***

Whether Reportable: ***Yes/No***