

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

CRM-M-4267-2018 (O&M)

Date of decision: 02.02.2018

Avtar Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and ors.

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. S.P. Soi, Advocate for the petitioner.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of a direction to the official respondents for protection of life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of private respondents.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that he has already moved a representation dated 23.01.2018 (Annexure P-1) before the Senior Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar-respondent No.2, however, no action has been taken till date. Counsel for the petitioner restricts his arguments with regard to issuance of a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the said representation.

In view of the above, this petition is disposed of with a direction to Senior Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar-respondent No.2 to decide the representation (Annexure P-1) in accordance with law.

However, it is made clear that the inquiry may be conducted and if any cognizable offence is made out, further action may be taken and in case no such cognizable offence is made out, the decision be communicated to the petitioner.

Disposed of, accordingly.

**[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE**

02.02.2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No