

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-44877-2018 (O&M)

Date of Decision:- 10.10.2018

Dharminder Singh

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. B.R.Rana-I, Advocate, for the petitioner.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

By way of filing this petition, the petitioner seeks issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to protect his life and liberty from the hands of respondents No.3 to 9 and for initiating proceedings against the said respondents on the basis of his application (Annexure P-3).

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that on 18.4.2018 and on 19.4.2018 respondents No.4 to 9 had come to his house and gave him beatings and had taken away his Fortuner car forcibly and were pressurizing him to transfer his property in the name of respondents No.4 and 5. It has been submitted that the petitioner thereafter moved an application before Punjab Human Rights Commission for protecting his life and liberty and when respondents No.4 to 9 came to know about the same, they have got a DDR No.37/2018 lodged against him under Section 107/151 Cr.P.C. It has

further been submitted that respondent No.3 Station House Officer, Police Station Dehlon, Ludhiana in connivance with respondents No.4 to 9 had been threatening him not to enter his house lest he would be involved in some other false case.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is disposed of with a direction to Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana (respondent No.2) to look into the matter and to dispose of application dated 31.8.2018 (Annexure P-3) expeditiously. In case the allegations leveled therein are found to be well founded then necessary steps be taken thereupon at the earliest. Further, in case there is any imminent threat to the life and liberty of the petitioner, then it be ensured that no harm is caused to the petitioner.

A copy of this order along with copy of application Annexure P-3 be sent to Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

October 10, 2018

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**(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge**

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No