

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

**CRM-M-48483-2018
Date of decision:15.11.2018**

Jagdev Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Sherry K. Singla, Advocate
for the petitioner.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioner seeks issuance of the directions to respondents No.2 and 3 so as to protect his life and liberty from the private respondent and further seeks issuance of directions to respondents No.4 and 5 not to harass, humiliate, physical and mentally torture him by frequently calling him to his office and not to misuse the police machinery for extraneous consideration at the behest of respondent No.6 under the pretext of lodging false criminal proceedings against the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that he is unnecessarily being harassed by the police and is being called in the

police station without there being any FIR against him.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioner, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Khanna to look into the matter and to dispose of representation (Annexure P-1) expeditiously and in case, the allegations made therein are found to be well-founded then necessary steps warranted under law be taken thereupon at the earliest. It is further directed that in case, there is any genuine apprehension of threat to life and liberty of the petitioner, then adequate steps be taken so as to ensure that no harm is caused to the petitioner.

Further, in case, the petitioner is required to be associated with any inquiry or investigation or some information is to be elicited from him, then a written advance notice in terms of Section 160 of Criminal Procedure Code, 1973 be served upon him.

A copy of this order along with copy of representation (Annexure P-1) be sent to respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Khanna so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**

15.11.2018
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Whether reasoned / speaking? Yes / No

Whether reportable? Yes / No