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

**CRM-M No.6737 of 2018
Date of Decision: 16.02.2018**

Buta Singh

.....Petitioner

Vs

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present: Ms. Satinder Kaur, Advocate
for the petitioner.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J. (Oral)

Prayer made in this petition is for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 to 4 in the context of non-filing of challan in case bearing FIR No.42 dated 17.05.2017 registered under Sections 325, 323, 343, 342, 120-B IPC at Police Station Sangrur, in which pointed allegations were made against SI Kulwant Kaur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner was illegally detained and tortured by SI Kulwant Kaur and other police officials and he received severe injuries. Under the orders of the High Court in CWP No.7307 of 2017, SIT was constituted. As per findings recorded in the SIT report, SI Kulwant Kaur was found to be involved in culpable act of misusing her official position while illegally detaining the

petitioner and subjected him to torture. The aforesaid FIR was registered on 17.05.2017, but till date, needful in the context of filing of challan has not been done for the reasons best known to the Investigating Officer. At this stage, respondent No.3 needs to be directed to have a fair look on the progress of the case.

Notice of motion.

On the asking of Court, Mr. Sandeep Kumar, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondent-State. Let requisite copies of petition be supplied to him by learned counsel for the petitioner during course of the day.

In view of nature of order which this Court proposes to pass there is no necessity of calling upon any reply from the respondents.

At this stage, this petition can be disposed of by directing respondent No.3 to have a fair look on the grievance of the petitioner and pass appropriate order in accordance with law without being influenced by any statement of facts recorded hereinabove.

Petition stands disposed of accordingly.

February 16, 2018

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Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)

JUDGE

Yes/No

Yes/No