

227 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-23257-2015 (O&M)

Date of decision:31.01.2019

Jagtar Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present: Mr. Manu Loona, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajat Bansal, AAG, Punjab.

RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 to 4 to carry out fair and impartial investigation; qua the complaint/representation dated 21.07.2014, which related to the alleged suspicious death of the daughter of the present petitioner.

Notice of motion was issued in this case.

The State had filed reply by way of affidavit of Jasmeet Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police (D), Fazilka, District Fazilka. In the reply, it was submitted that enquiry was conducted by the police under the supervision of S.S.P. Fazilka and no substance was found in the allegations levelled by the petitioner. It is further submitted that the daughter of the petitioner died a natural death due to sudden illness and that the relations between the deceased and her in-laws will found to be normal. Further, no poison substance was found in the viscera of the deceased and that no other incriminating material has been found during the investigation conducted by the police. Rather, it was found that there is some property dispute between the two sides, which resulted in the present complaint.

Learned counsel for the State has also produced the chemical report which is on the police file. The report of the Chemical Examination shows that no poison was detected in the viscera. Hence, it has been categorically opined that no unnatural cause of death was detected.

In view of the above, this Court does not consider it appropriate to continue with the present petition.

Dismissed.

However, it is clarified that if the petitioner has any grievance in this regard, then he would not be precluded from available his alternate remedy, in accordance with law, if he so desires.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

31.01.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes / No
Whether reportable	Yes / No