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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COC-1537-2019
Date of decision: 25.09.2019

KAPOOR SINGH

.. PETITIONER

VERSUS

SUMIT KUMAR, IPS, SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, PANIPAT

.. RESPONDENT

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present: Mr. Ajay Ghangas, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Kuldeep Tiwari, Addl. AG. Haryana.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J. (Oral)

The present contempt petition has been filed alleging wilful disobedience of the order dated 10.10.2018 passed by this Court in CRM-M No. 41571 of 2018. The operative part of the order is reproduced below:

“In view of above, respondent No.4-Superintendent of Police, Panipat, is directed to look into the said representation (Annexure P-3) and decide the same expeditiously preferably within 90 days, as per law, after the receipt of certified copy of this order.

With aforesaid direction, this petition stands disposed of.”

Reply by way of affidavit of Sh. Sumit Kumar, HPS, Superintendent of Police, Panipat, filed in Court, is taken on record. A copy of the same is handed over to learned counsel for the petitioner. As per the

pleadings in the reply, representation was looked into and FIR was registered. After investigation cancellation report has been filed. Further order dated 02.05.2019 has also been annexed for conducting a departmental inquiry against Dinesh Kumar, SI for his act of negligence for not complying with the directions of this Court.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in view of the reply filed today, no cause of action survives for pursuing the present contempt petition. However, he seeks liberty to avail remedies in accordance with law against the investigation report and cancellation report.

In view of the above, the contempt petition is disposed of, with liberty as prayed for.

There is no doubt that the proceedings initiated against Sh. Dinesh Kumar, SI would be concluded expeditiously in accordance with law.

Rule issued against the respondents is discharged.

25th September, 2019

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(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : *Yes/No*

Whether reportable : *Yes/No*