

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

Sr. No.102

CRM-M-19493-2020

DATE OF DECISION: July 20, 2020

SOHAN LAL

...PETITIONER

VERSUS

STATE OF HARYANA AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. D.S. Virk, Advocate, for the petitioner.

SUDHIR MITTAL, J. (ORAL)

The grievance of the petitioner is that his son is an accused in FIR No.145, dated 12.07.2020 registered at Police Station Cheeka, District Kaithal under Section 18 of the NDPS Act, 1985 and the police is unnecessarily harassing him on the pretext of arresting his son. Even his property has been illegally destroyed.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Saurabh Mohunta, DAG, Haryana accepts notice and waives service.

Considering the nature of the order being passed there is no necessity to file a written statement.

The petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 to treat this petition as a representation and to consider it objectively. An opportunity of hearing be also granted to the petitioner and in case it is found that his life and liberty is being threatened, suitable protection be granted. Further, if it is found that certain police officials have acted in a

highhanded manner, suitable disciplinary proceedings be initiated against them. Speaking order in this regard be passed within six weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

July 20, 2020
Ankur

(SUDHIR MITTAL)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Whether Reportable</i>	<i>No</i>