

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-22757-2020 (O&M)
Date of Decision:- 14.8.2020

Sushil Kumar Goyal

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Ms. Shivya Sehgal, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Ajay Pal Singh Gill, DAG, Punjab.

*(the aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in Virtual Court)*

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has approached this Court seeking issuance of appropriate directions to respondents No.2 to 4 to conduct free, fair and impartial investigation in FIR No. 47, dated 2.3.2019, Police Station Division No.6, Ludhiana, under Sections 307, 326, 325, 341, 148, 149, 120-B IPC (Section 420 IPC added later on).

Learned State counsel, upon whom an advance copy of the petition had already been served, has however, informed that challan against 10 out of the 12 accused already stands presented.

Faced with the aforesaid position, learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner may be permitted to withdraw

this petition and that some directions may be issued to respondents No.2 to 4 to extend protection to him as he apprehends threat to his life and liberty as the accused are on bail and have been threatening him.

In view of the submission made by learned counsel for the petitioner for withdrawal of the petition, the petition is dismissed as withdrawn. However, the petitioner would be at liberty to move an appropriate application seeking security, to Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana (respondent No.4). In case any such application is moved, respondent No.4 shall have the same examined and do the needful in view of the facts and circumstances and as may be permissible under law.

August 14, 2020

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(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking /reasoned

Yes / No

Whether Reportable

Yes / No