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

**CRM-M No.23397 of 2020(O&M)
Date of Decision: 07.10.2020**

Joginder KaurPetitioner
Vs
State of Punjab and othersRespondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJ MOHAN SINGH

Present:Mr. Hoshier Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Amar Ashok Pathak, Addl., AG, Punjab.

RAJ MOHAN SINGH, J.(Oral)

The case has been taken up for hearing through video-conferencing.

Petitioner has preferred this petition for transfer of investigation of FIR No.0068 dated 26.04.2020 registered under Sections 452, 323, 427, 506, 148, 149 IPC at Police Station Guruharsahai, District Ferozepur to some senior police officer.

At the time of issuance of notice of motion, contention of learned counsel for the petitioner was that despite registration of aforesaid case, no action has been taken by the police. The status of investigation was ordered to be produced on record. In compliance of the aforesaid order, status report has

been submitted by way of affidavit of Ravinder Singh, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division, Gurubharsahai, District Ferozepur, wherein it has been mentioned that after registration of the FIR, the police had served the notice under Section 41(1) Cr.P.C upon all the accused, thereby affording them period of 14 days for availing their legal remedies. Thereafter, police conducted the raids at the house of the accused persons on different dates i.e. 26.06.2020, 20.07.2020 and 28.08.2020, but the house of the accused was found locked and they could not be arrested. Accused Joginder Singh, Sheela Rani, Surjit Singh, Jaswant Singh and Kailash Rani have already obtained interim anticipatory bail from the Court of Additional Sessions Judge, Ferozepur vide order dated 22.09.2020. Joginder Singh, Sheela Rani and Jaswant Singh have joined the investigation on 25.09.2020. Surjit Singh and Kailash Rani have joined the investigation on 26.09.2020.

It is not in dispute that interim orders of bail in favour of the aforesaid accused have been confirmed by the Court on 05.10.2020. Accused Sukhwinder Singh is serving in Army and his presence would be secured in due course of time. The status report also depicts that the cross version has been registered vide rapat No.16 dated 13.09.2020 under Sections 323, 148, 149 IPC. The investigation of the cross version is still

pending.

In view of status report submitted by the State, learned counsel for the petitioner prays for disposal of this petition.

No further order is required to be passed.

Disposed of.

07.10.2020

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**(RAJ MOHAN SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No