

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP No. 7552 of 2020 (O&M)

Date of decision : September 23, 2020

Jaswant Singh

....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

Coram: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Fateh Deep Singh

Present : Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioner

Fateh Deep Singh, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through Video-conferencing on account of outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

Petitioner Jaswant Singh has come up in this criminal writ petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of appropriate writ/directions against respondents no. 1 and 2 for protecting the life and personal liberty of the petitioner and his family members as he apprehends danger at the hands of respondents no. 3 and 4.

Notice of motion to official respondents.

Service of respondents 3 and 4 is dispensed with.

Mr. Jagmohan Ghuman, DAG Punjab puts in

appearance and accepts notice on behalf of respondents 1 and 2.

Let copy of the paper book be supplied to him.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties and perusing the records, the present petition stands disposed of with the directions to the official respondents to ensure due protection of life and personal liberty of the petitioners and his family members at the hands of respondents no. 3 and 4 and to act on his representation Annexure P/2 fully in accordance with law. However, it is made clear that this will not come in the way of the official respondents for initiating any legal proceedings against the petitioner in accordance with the law.

The petition stands disposed off.

September 23, 2020

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**(Fateh Deep Singh)
Judge**

Whether speaking/reasoned ?

Yes/No

Whether Reportable ?

Yes/No