

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

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**CRM-M-35227-2020
Date of Decision: 03.11.2020**

Rattan Lal

....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE LALIT BATRA

Present: Mr.Ajaivir Singh, Advocate for petitioner.

Lalit Batra, J.(Oral):

Case has been taken up for hearing through Video Conferencing.

This petition under Section 482 Cr.P.C. has been moved seeking quashing/setting aside the inquiry sought to be conducted by respondent No.4 vide order/letter dated 24.08.2020 (Annexure P/3), with a further prayer to take legal action against respondents No.7 and 8 for having committed offences under the relevant sections of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 2018 and for direction to respondent No.2 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of respondents No.7 and 8.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contended that petitioner has already sent a legal notice dated 10.09.2020 (Annexure P/5) to respondents No.1,2,3 and 5, copy of which is available on the file as Annexure P/5, but still no action has been taken.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of Court, Mr.Sukhbeer Singh, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 6. Complete copy of paper book has been supplied to him.

In view of above, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to respondent No.5-Senior Superintendent of Police, Batlala, District Gurdaspur, to look into and decide legal notice dated 10.09.2020 (Annexure P/5) in accordance with law by passing speaking order and that too within four weeks positively from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

November 03 , 2020
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(LALIT BATRA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/ reasoned	:	Yes/ No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/ No