

CWP-16194-2021

Date of decision : August 23, 2021

Harinder Singh Virk

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Baldev Singh Sodhi, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Sahil Sharma, DAG, Punjab.

LISA GILL, J.

This matter is being taken up for hearing through video conferencing due to outbreak of the pandemic, COVID-19.

Petitioner in this petition seeks directions to the respondents to provide police security to him as he apprehends threat to his life, liberty and property.

At this stage, learned counsel for the petitioner restricts the prayer for a direction that representation dated 30.07.2020 (Annexure P3), be decided by the authorities in a time bound manner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Sahil Sharma, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and does not raise any serious objection to the limited prayer addressed.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of this case, but without any expression of opinion on the merits of the matter, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the competent authority to decide representation dated 30.07.2020 (Annexure P3), within a period of eight weeks from receipt of certified copy of this order and take necessary action if any/as may be required.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

August 23, 2021

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(Lisa Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No