

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

CRM-M-41696 of 2021

Date of Decision:-27.10.2021

Inderjit Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SURESHWAR THAKUR
(Proceedings conducted through Video Conferencing)

Present:- Mr. Navraj Singh Mahal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SURESHWAR THAKUR J.(Oral)

The FIR No.0039 of 04.03.2021, under Sections 406, 420 of Indian Penal Code, under Section 24 of the Immigration Act, 1983 and under Section 13(1) of the Punjab Travel Professionals' Act, 2014, is registered at Police Station Kartarpur, District Jalandhar Rural.

In the afore FIR, respondents No.7, 8 and 9 are named as accused. However, after conclusion of an inquiry by the Investigating Officer concerned, and as, disclosed vide Annexure P-3, the Investigating Officer concerned has proceeded to make a report with respect to their innocence.

It appears that the Investigating Officer concerned is proposing to file a closer report against the accused concerned, before the learned trial

Magistrate concerned. If so, the petitioner has a right to file objections, and, contest the acceptance of the closer report, before the learned trial Magistrate concerned, by the latter. Obviously the afore liberty at the appropriate stage, is reserved to the petitioner.

Moreover, in case the petitioner requires any further investigation into the offences, constituted in the FIR submitted (supra), it is also open to the petitioner to avail the afore remedy, before the learned trial Magistrate concerned.

Disposed of with the afore directions.

October 27, 2021
Vijay Asija

(SURESHWAR THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes / No
Yes / No