

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

(112)

CRWP-10209-2021

Date of Decision : October 27, 2021

Subhash Sehgal

.. Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI

Present: Mr. L.M. Gulati, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.
(keeping in view the advance copy given).

HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI J. (ORAL)

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner is a law abiding citizen and has raised his voice against the illegalities and oppression of the general public by the authorities and number of instances have been cited wherein, the petitioner has raised his voice against the said illegalities. Learned counsel for the petitioner further submits that keeping in view the said fact, the petitioner is apprehending threat to his life and liberty and the petitioner has raised the said grievance before the Commissioner of Police, Amritsar vide representation dated 17.09.2021 (Annexure P-1), which is still pending consideration with the said authority and the petitioner will be satisfied, at this stage, in case a time bound direction is issued to respondent No.2 to decide the said representation by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, learned Deputy Advocate General, Punjab, who has joined the proceedings through video conference, keeping in view the service of advance copy of petition, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents and raises no objection in deciding the representation dated 17.09.2021 (Annexure P-1) by respondent No.2 in a time bound manner by passing an appropriate speaking order.

Without commenting upon the merits of the case or about the entitlement of the petitioner for the relief which has been claimed by him in the representation dated 17.09.2021 (Annexure P-1) the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to decide the representation dated 17.09.2021 (Annexure P-1) within a period of eight weeks from the receipt of copy of this order.

October 27, 2021
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes
Whether reportable : No