

[141] IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCN No.583 of 2022

Date of Decision : 29.03.2022

Satnam Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

Sachin Gupta, IPS, Senior Superintendent of Police,
District Fazilka

....Respondent

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice B.S. Walia

Present : Mr. Rajesh Bhateja, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Ayush Sarna, AAG, Punjab.

B.S. Walia, J. (Oral)

[1] Prayer in the petition under Sections 10 and 12 of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 is for initiating action against the respondent for intentional and willful defiance of order (Annexure P-1) dated 14.10.2021 in CRWP No.9870 of 2021.

[2] A perusal of order (Annexure P-1) reveals that CRWP No.9870 of 2021 was disposed of vide order dated 14.10.2021 by directing the respondent to look into representation dated 17.09.2021 only for the purpose of protection of life and liberty of the petitioner and to take appropriate action in respect thereto in accordance with law but needful has not been done till date.

[3] Notice has yet not been issued in the instant case.

[4] However, learned AAG, Punjab, has filed copy of communication addressed by the Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka to the Registrar (Crl.), Punjab and Haryana High Court,

Chandigarh that the petitioner is not living at the address mentioned in

the petition but at Suratgarh (Rajasthan) therefore assessment regarding threat perception to the petitioner could not be carried as. However, directions have been issued to the concerned Halqa Officer and SHO that as and when the petitioner will come to his aunts house at Dhani Karaka Singh, Abohar, his house be covered by PCR patrolling and his security be ensured. Copy of the aforesaid communication is taken on record. Copy thereof supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner, who on perusal thereof states that in the circumstances, the petitioner does not press the instant petition.

[5] In view of the position noted above, as well as statement of learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is *disposed of* as not calling for any action against the respondent under the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971.

(B.S. Walia)
Judge

29.03.2022
'Rajneesh'

<i>Whether speaking/ reasoned</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>