

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

CRM-M-32788-2013 (O&M)

Date of decision: 17.11.2022

Lakhwinder Singh

... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

.. Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Shubham Kaushik, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Rajeev Anand, Advocate
for respondent No.3-CBI.

Mr. Sukhwinder Singh Chatrath, Advocate
for respondents No.4 to 12.

Mr. Karan Pathak, Advocate
for respondents No.5, 8 & 11.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for transfer of investigation of the
following FIRs to some independent agency: -

1. *FIR No.65 dated 06.10.2011 under Sections 457, 427, 506, 323,
324, 148, 149, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Tarsika,
District Amritsar.*

2. *FIR No.77 dated 01.12.2011 under Sections 306, 506, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Tarsika, District Amritsar.*
3. *FIR No.281 dated 08.12.2011 under Sections 153A, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Batala, District Gurdaspur.*
4. *FIR No.30 dated 21.01.2012 under Sections 323, 324, 146, 149 IPC, registered at Police Station Kanwan, District Gurdaspur.*
5. *FIR No.9 dated 22.01.2012 under Sections 379, 420, 468, 471, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Tarsika, District Amritsar.*
6. *FIR No.66 dated 22.07.2013 under Sections 420, 467, 468, 471, 120-B IPC, registered at Police Station Tarsika, District Amritsar.*

This petition is pending since 2013. Reply by way of affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jandiala, Amritsar Rural as well as separate reply on behalf of respondent No.3-CBI are filed.

Learned State counsel submits that in FIR No.65, challan has already been presented before the Court on 30.11.2012 and the case is pending, in FIR No.77, cancellation report has been submitted before the Illaqa Magistrate on 07.05.2012, in FIR No.281, challan stands presented before the Court on 02.01.2014, in FIR No.30, cancellation report stands presented on 24.04.2013 and in FIR No.9, petitioner Lakhwinder Singh and one Bachan Lal were arrested and proceedings for declaring co-accused Pargat Singh have been initiated. With regard to FIR No.66, it is submitted that it was registered

against petitioner Lakhwinder Singh, Jagtar Singh and Jaswinder Singh and the case is under investigation.

Learned counsel for respondents No.5, 8 & 11 has, however, submitted that trial in FIR No.66 is at the stage of defence evidence and arguments.

In view of the above, this petition is rendered as infructuous.

Liberty is granted to the petitioner to approach the Illaqa Magistrate for redressal of his grievance, if any.

[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No