

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

CRWP-6286-2022

Date of Decision: 24th August, 2022

Ram Chander

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN

Present : Mr. Arshdeep Singh, Advocate for the petitioner.
Mr. Gurmeet Singh, Assistant Advocate General, Haryana.
Mr. Raj Mohan, Advocate for respondent No.5.
Mr. Vishavjeet Singh, Advocate for
Mr. T.K. Shehrawat, Advocate for respondent No.6.

AVNEESH JHINGAN , J.(Oral)

This petition was filed seeking directions to the official respondents to protect life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of private respondents (arrayed in the petition).

The petitioner was complainant in FIR No. 528, dated 17th August, 2020, under Sections 120-B, 307, 34, 341 of Indian Penal Code, 1860 and Section 25 of Arms Act, 1959, registered at Police Station Barwala, District Hisar.

On an application, petitioner was provided a security guard. After re-assessing the threat perception the regular protection was withdrawn and security cover was provided for attending the dates before the trial Court.

State has filed reply. Copy of the reply supplied to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Para 5 of the reply is reproduced below:-

“That as per latest assessment of threat perception to the petitioner, it reveals that there is no threat

perception to the life and liberty of the petitioner. However, the petitioner is being provided protection while attending Courts. There is no need to provide protection to the petitioner on regular basis, thus the petition of the petitioner deserves to be dismissed qua respondents No.1 to 4, being devoid of merit.”

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that as on date no cause of action survives for pursuing the present petition.

In view of the reply filed, the petition is disposed of.

However petitioner would be at liberty to approach the police authority in case there is an apprehension of threat.

(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE

24th August, 2022

Parveen Sharma

Whether reasoned/speaking

Yes/No

Whether reportable

Yes/No