

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

(Heard through VC)

CRWP No.10517 of 2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision: January 14, 2022

Sukhdev Raj Chauhan

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- Mr. V.K. Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The instant criminal writ petition has been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of private respondents No.5 to 9.

At this stage, counsel for the petitioner limits his prayer to the extent that his representation dated 26.08.2021 (Annexure P-3) should be decided expeditiously.

Notice of motion to the official respondents.

At this stage, Mr. A.S. Gill, Sr. DAG Punjab, who is appearing through the medium of video conferencing, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents and submits that official respondents will look into the matter and will decide the representation of the petitioner. Let sufficient

number of copies of the paper book be supplied to him during the course of the day, failing which no action is called for.

In view of the above, I dispose of the instant petition by directing the official respondents to decide the representation dated 26.08.2021 (Annexure P-3) of the petitioner within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law and in case, any threat perception is perceived, necessary protection be provided to the petitioner.

January 14, 2022
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(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No