

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

**CRWP-9707-2022
Date of Decision: October 12, 2022**

Savinder Singh

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY VASHISTH

Present: Mr. Rahul Arora, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. Jaswinder Singh Arora, DAG, Punjab.

SANJAY VASHISTH, J.

1. Prayer in the instant petition, filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, is for issuance of directions to respondents No. 1 to 3, to provide protection of life and liberty to the petitioner, from the hands of respondents No. 4 to 7.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that representation dated 30.09.2022 (Annexure P-2) has been already addressed to respondents No. 2 and 3. In the backdrop of the fact that respondent No. 6/Sarwan Singh has remained at Nabha Jail for 18 years, learned counsel submits that petitioner is apprehensive of his elimination at the hands of private respondents. In regard to apprehension to life and liberty of the petitioner, representation has already been submitted to respondents No. 2 and 3, but attention is given to the same.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Jaswinder Singh Arora, DAG,

Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Advance copy of the writ petition stands served.

Heard.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, at this stage, but without any expression of opinion on the merits of the matter, this petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2– SSP, Ferozpur, Punjab, to look into representation dated 30.09.2022 (Annexure P-2) *qua* threat perception only after doing proper evaluation, if any substance is found in the allegation of threat perception to life of petitioner, necessary steps be taken, in accordance with law, to ensure that the life and liberty of the petitioner is not jeopardized at the hands of the private respondents.

Petition is disposed of accordingly.

(SANJAY VASHISTH)
JUDGE

October 12, 2022

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Whether Speaking/Reasoned: **YES/NO**

Whether Reportable: **YES/NO**