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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRM-M-18284-2023

Date of Decision: April 17, 2023

Gurnam Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of UT Chandigarh and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr.Kamal Chaudhary, Advocate
for the petitioner.

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RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J.(ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuance of directions to respondent no.1 to transfer the investigation to some independent agency of FIR No.0012, dated 30.01.2022, under Sections 147, 148, 149, 323, 506 IPC (Section 307 IPC added later on), registered at Police Station North, UT, Chandigarh, for the purpose of free and fair investigation in the matter as the local police officials have colluded with the accused in the FIR. It is further prayed that respondents no.2 and 3 be directed to file status report in the present FIR.

It has been contended by counsel for the petitioner that since the date of registration of the FIR, there is no progress in the investigation.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr.A.M.Punchi, P.P.,UT, Chandigarh who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent/State and submits, on instructions that investigation is almost complete and challan

would be present within fifteen days

After hearing counsel for the parties, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the investigating agency to complete the investigation within 15 days from today and present the challan/report before the Court of competent jurisdiction immediately after its completion. However, petitioner is at liberty to pursue his remedies before the trial Court in accordance with law.

April 17, 2023
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(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

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| 1. | Whether speaking/reasoned ? | Yes/No |
| 2. | Whether reportable ? | Yes/No |