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253 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision: 27.07.2023

Gurpreet Singh alias Gopi alias Kaura Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJBIR SEHRAWAT

Present : Mr. Manoj Kaushik, Advocate, for
Mr. Vikram Satpal Anand, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Mr. Luvinder Sofat, DAG, Punjab,
for the respondent-State.

RAJBIR SEHRAWAT, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for issuance of directions to conclude the trial expeditiously of the case FIR No.90 dated 22.06.2015 registered under Sections 223, 224, 225, 120-B, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, (charges under Sections 148, 307, 353, 332, 225, 212, 216, 473 and 149 IPC were framed on 19.04.2021 by the Additional Sessions Judge, Gurdaspur) and Sections 25 and 54 of the Arms Act, 1959, at Police Station Civil Lines Batala, District Batala.

2. On the last date of hearing, the following order was passed:-

“Notice of motion for 27.07.2023.

On the asking of the Court, Mr. Sandeep, Additional Advocate General, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State and seeks time to get

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instructions from the concerned Senior Superintendent of Police as to whether the prosecution witnesses are going to be produced before the trial Court on the next date of hearing or this Court should pass an order for taking into custody of all the remaining witnesses so as to produce before the Court below.”

3. In compliance of the aforesaid order passed on 21.07.2023, learned counsel for the respondent-State has filed a short reply by way of an affidavit of Lalit Kumar, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division City Batala, Police District Batala, on behalf of the respondent-State. The same is taken on record.

4. Learned counsel for the respondent-State, on instructions from ASI Davinder Singh, has submitted that only four witnesses are remaining to be examined and those four witnesses have also been summoned by the Court below for 11.08.2023. Accordingly, the evidence of the prosecution is being completed with due promptitude.

5. In view of the above, this Court does not find it appropriate to continue with the present petition.

6. Dismissed.

(RAJBIR SEHRAWAT)
JUDGE

27.07.2023
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Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether Reportable

Yes/No
Yes/No