

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-39628-2023

Date of Decision: 04.10.2023

Gurdial Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIKAS SURI

Present:- Mr. Munish Puri, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

VIKAS SURI, J. (Oral)

[1] Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuance of direction to official respondent Nos.1 to 3 to register appropriate case against the private respondents for forcefully snatching vehicle bearing registration No.PB-35-Q-1407, make Tata Motors Ltd. model LPT 2518 TC BS3 and illegally selling the same and usurping the amount, with a further prayer to decide the representation dated 01.07.2023 (Annexure P-4).

[2] At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner confines his prayer to a decision of representation dated 01.07.2023 (Annexure P-4) moved by the petitioner.

[3] Notice of motion to respondent Nos.1 to 3 only at this stage.

[4] Mr. Gurdarshan Singh Sidhu, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents i.e. respondent Nos.1 to 3. He, on instructions from ASI Sanjiv Kumar, Police Station Sujanpur, submits that pursuant to the aforesaid representation, petitioner was called to join investigation. On 31.07.2023, petitioner suffered a statement that he has approached the Court and whatever decision will be taken by the Court, he shall abide by the same.

[5] *Per contra*, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has suffered a paralytic stroke in August, 2023 and the present petition was instituted in this Court on 08.08.2023. He, thus, prays that the statement noticed above, if any, be ignored and petitioner is ready to join investigation subject to his medical condition permitting him.

[6] Heard learned counsel for the parties.

[7] Be that as it may, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case or commenting thereon, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Pathankot-respondent No.2, to consider the aforesaid representation dated 01.07.2023 (Annexure P-4) and decide the same in accordance with law at the earliest, preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

October 04, 2023

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**(VIKAS SURI)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No