

2024:PHHC:053518

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

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CRM-M-11455-2020(O&M)
Date of Decision : April 22, 2024

GURCHARAN SINGH

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP TIWARI

Present : None for the petitioner.

Mr. Pardeep Bajaj, DAG, Punjab.

KULDEEP TIWARI, J. (Oral)

1. Through the instant petition, prayer is made for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 to 3 for taking strict legal action against the accused persons named in the FIR No. 42 dated 5.7.2019, under Sections 295-A, 355, 341, 323, 506 and 34 IPC.

2. On 26.11.2021, the following order was passed by a co-ordinate Bench of this Court:-

“On the last date of hearing, there was no representation on behalf of the applicant-petitioner. Similar is the position today.

In the interest of justice, list again on 28.04.2022.

Registry is directed to in form learned counsel for the applicant-petitioner about the next date of hearing.

In case, he failed to appear on the next date of hearing, the case will be decided in his absence.”

3. On 19.4.2024, the following order was passed by this Court:-

“There is no representation on behalf of the petitioner.

In the interest of justice, adjourned to 22.04.2024.

To be shown in the urgent list.

It is made clear that no further adjournment shall be granted on the next date of hearing.

Further in case of non-appearance, either on behalf of the petitioner, or from the respondent side, this Court would decide the instant matter on its own merits.”

4. Today, the learned counsel for the petitioner has not caused appearance.
5. On the other hand, the learned State counsel has informed this Court that infact the prayer made in the instant petition has rendered infructuous in view of the supervening events. He further submits that infact the investigation has been completed and thereupon, final report under Section 173 Cr.P.C. has been filed on 1.6.2022 and the charges have been framed on 16.7.2023 and two witnesses out of total 13 cited witnesses have already been examined. It seems that the grievance of the petitioner has been redressed, therefore, no one has caused appearance.
6. In view of the statement suffered by the learned State counsel, the instant petition is **dismissed** as having been rendered infructuous.

(KULDEEP TIWARI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned. : Yes/No
Whether Reportable. : Yes/No