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IN THE HIGH COURT FOR THE STATES OF PUNJAB AND
HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-5876-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 01.07.2024

Jagjit Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

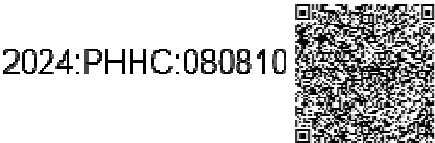
...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA

Present:- Mr. Nakul Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of direction to respondent Nos. 1 and 2 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and his family members at the hands of respondent Nos. 4 to 7. It is further prayed that respondent No. 3 be also directed not to harass the petitioner and his family members.
2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner has filed a representation on 10.06.2024 (*Annexure P-2*) before respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib raising his grievances as raised in the present petition but the same has not yet been considered and no action has been taken thereon. He further submitted that at this stage, the petitioner would feel satisfied if



appropriate directions are issued to respondent No. 2 to decide the aforesaid representation filed by the petitioner and take necessary action thereon.

3. Notice of motion.
4. Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, has accepted the notice on behalf of the respondent-State and submits that the needful will be done in due course. Let a complete set of the paperbook be supplied to her during the course of the day.
5. In view of the limited prayer made by the petitioner, without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of at this stage with a direction to respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib to decide the aforesaid representation of the petitioner within a period of 15 days from today, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law. Needless to say, if any threat is found to the petitioner or his family members, the official respondents would provide them adequate security in order to protect their life and liberty.

01.07.2024

Waseem Ansari

(MANISHA BATRA)

JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Whether reportable

Yes/No

Yes/No