



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

CRM-M-38697-2024

Date of decision: 09.08.2024

GURPREET SINGH

....PETITIONER(S)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

....RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Arpan Sabharwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SANJIV BERRY, J.(ORAL)

By way of present petition filed under 528 of the Bharatiya
Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023, the petitioner has sought issuance of
directions to respondents No.2 to take appropriate legal action on the
representation/complaint (Annexure P-3) filed by the petitioner.

2. It is, *inter alia*, contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that feeling aggrieved by the act and conduct of private respondents No. 4 to 8, the petitioner had moved the representation to the competent authorities for taking appropriate legal action but no action thereon has been taken. He had moved the representation (Annexure P-3) to respondent No.2, but till date no action thereon has been taken to redress the grievance of the petitioner. He submits that for the purpose of the petition, the petitioner will be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to respondent No.2- The Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar, to consider and dispose of the representation dated 24.01.2024 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner by giving opportunity of being heard to the petitioner as well.



- 3. Notice of motion to official respondents.
- 4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Adesh Pal Singh, AAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and submits that respondent No.2- The Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar, will consider and dispose of the representation in accordance with law.
- 5. After hearing the respective submissions and perusing the record, without commenting on the merits of the case and considering the limited request made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2- The Superintendent of Police (Rural), Jalandhar, to consider and dispose of the representation dated 24.01.2024 (Annexure P-3) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner after giving opportunity of being heard to the petitioner. It is, however, made clear that respondent No.2 will have to act independently while considering the representation in accordance with law.
- 6. The decision so taken be also intimated to the petitioner as well.
- 7. Disposed of.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |