



IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

107

CRWP-7658-2024

Date of decision: 09.08.2024

Manoj Kumar

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Sourabh Sheoran, Advocate for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking issuance of directions to respondents No.1 to 3 to protect his life and liberty at the hands of respondents No.4 to 7.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner has been getting repeated threats of dire consequences; on a couple of occasions ransom calls have also been made to him in which regard the official respondents were duly informed, however, till date despite representation/complaint having been made vide Annexure P-1 on 22.02.2024, the official respondents had failed to come to his rescue.

3. After arguing for some time, learned counsel for the petitioner submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to respondent No.2-Superintendent of Police, Bhiwani to look into the representation/complaint qua the threat perception at the earliest and take appropriate steps as may be required

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under the law so that his life and liberty may not be jeopardized.

4. Notice of motion.

5. On asking of the Court, Ms. Trishanjali Sharma, DAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

6. In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with directions to respondent No.2-Superintendent of Police, Bhiwani to look into the representation dated 22.02.2024 (Annexure P-1) and take necessary steps, preferably within seven days, if any required, in accordance with law.

09.08.2024

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**(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No