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

CRM-M-41248-2024

Date of Decision: 10.09.2024

LAKHWINDER SINGH

...Petitioner(s)

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondent(s)

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE N.S.SHEKHAWAT

Present : Mr. Nipun Bhardwaj, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Deepinder Brar, Sr. DAG, Punjab.

N.S.SHEKHAWAT, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure with a prayer to direct the official respondents to take legal action against the accused in a case arising out of FIR No.127 dated 05.11.2022, under Sections 341, 323, 506, 148 and 149 IPC (Sections 325 and 379-B IPC added later on), registered at Police Station Sadar Sangrur, District Sangrur (Annexure P-1).

2. Pursuant to the order dated 28.08.2024 passed by this Court, a status report by way of an affidavit of the Senior Superintendent of Police has been filed on behalf of the respondents No.1 to 3, 5 and 6 and the same is taken on record.

3. Learned State counsel submits that in the present case, the petitioner/complainant is not co-operating with the investigating agency and due to this, the investigation has been delayed. He further submits that in case the petitioner/complainant appears before the investigating agency, they shall conclude the investigation within a period of two weeks from today.

4. In view of the statement made by the learned State counsel, the petitioner/complainant is directed to appear before the investigating agency to join the investigation at 10:00 am on 11.09.2024.

5. The police shall associate the petitioner/complainant in the process of investigation and he shall not be harassed by any police officer.
6. The investigating officer is directed to file the final report of investigation within a period of four weeks from today.
7. In view of the above discussion, no further directions are required and the present petition is accordingly disposed off.

10.09.2024
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

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