



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

CRWP-8657-2023

Date of decision : 07.08.2024

Priyavart @ Fauji

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Haryana and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present :- Mr. Sahil Choudhary, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Ramesh Kumar Ambavta, A.A.G., Haryana.

RAJESH BHARDWAJ, J. (Oral)

Present petition has been filed for directing respondents No.2 to 6 to ensure and protect the life and liberty of the petitioner, guaranteed under Article 21 of the Indian Constitution during proceedings within the District Courts of the State of Haryana. Further prayer has been made for directing the respondents for dispensing the physical presence and production of the petitioner in respect of the investigation into FIR No.103 dated 29.05.2022 under Sections 302, 307, 341, 148, 149, 427 and 120-B IPC and Sections 25 and 27 of the Arms Act, registered at Police Station Mansa City I, District Mansa, Punjab against the petitioner as there is a serious threat and apprehension to the life and well being of the petitioner. It is further prayed that the learned Jurisdictional Magistrate/Chief Judicial Magistrate of District Mansa be restrained from issuing Production Warrants for producing and handing over custody of the petitioner to the respondents, in aid of producing before Court (MANSA) in the said FIR. Further prayer has been made for directing the

respondents to implement and scrupulously follow the decision of the



Hon'ble Supreme Court in case of '*Paramvir Singh Saini Vs. Baljit Singh and others*' Special Leave Petition (Criminal) No.3543 of 2020: MANU/SC/0908/2020, in order to ensure that the investigation/interrogation of the petitioner is Audio and Video recorded in consonance with the decision of Hon'ble Apex Court in the case of *Paramvir Singh Saini (supra)*.

Status report by way of an affidavit of Mr. Amit Kumar, Superintendent of Prison, District Prison Karnal, has been filed on behalf of respondents No.1, 3 to 5, in the Court today and same is taken on record. A copy thereof has been supplied to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned State counsel has submitted that Special police escort guard has already been provided to the petitioner. He submits that the grievance of the petitioner has already been redressed and nothing survives in the present petition.

In view of the statement made by learned State counsel and keeping in view the status report, the present petition is disposed of.

(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

07.08.2024
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No