

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-59917-2023

Date of decision: 19.01.2024

Gurdeep Singh

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Vishneet Singh Kathpal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner is seeking issuance of directions to official respondents to conduct fair and impartial investigation in FIR No.41 dated 07.03.2023 under Sections 341, 324, 323, 148, 149 of the IPC registered at Police Station Sadar Fazilka, District Fazilka.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that despite there being sufficient material on record, the police without investigating the FIR which had been lodged by him, had erroneously exonerated respondents No.8 and 17 even though they appeared to have masterminded the crime in question. Learned counsel has drawn the attention of this Court to the Medico Legal Report (Annexures P-5 and P-6) and submitted that it was evident that he had suffered multiple injuries in the occurrence in question, however, for reasons very strange the police had registered the FIR against the accused persons only under bailable offences.

3. On a pointed query put to the learned counsel as to whether

the challan had been presented in the case in hand, he replied in the negative and submitted that the investigation was still being carried out by the investigating agency.

4. In the facts and circumstances, when concededly challan has also not been presented till date, no ground is made out for issuance of directions as prayed for, at this stage.

5. Accordingly, the instant petition is hereby dismissed.

19.01.2024

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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