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

CRM-M-802-2025

Date of decision: 13.01.2025

Santokh Singh

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present: Mr. Sham Lal Saha, Advocate, for the petitioner.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. Prayer in this petition filed under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 is for issuance of direction to respondents No.2 and 3 for taking legal action against respondents No.4 to 14 in case FIR No.172, dated 03.09.2024, under Sections 103(1), 109, 118(2), 115(2), 118(1), 126(2), 127(2), 191(3), 190 of BNS, 2023, registered at Police Station Ajnala, District Amritsar.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that ever since the petitioner lodged the FIR in question against the private respondents, the latter have been extending threats to the petitioner, as a result of which, the life of the petitioner and his family is under constant threat. It has been submitted that the private respondents murdered the petitioner's son and till date, the private respondents are at large, with the official respondents having taken no concrete steps to arrest them. It has

also been submitted that a representation dated 11.12.2024 (Annexure P-3) has been given to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural), District Amritsar, however, in vain. He further submits that the petitioner would be satisfied if respondent No.2 is directed to look into his representation and take appropriate steps to arrest the accused named in the FIR at the earliest and also come to the rescue of the petitioner and his family so that their life and liberty can be protected at the hands of accused persons.

- 3. Notice of motion.
- 4. On asking of the Court, Mr. H.S. Deol, Senior DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of official respondents
- 5. In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with directions to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural), District Amritsar to look into the representation dated 11.12.2024 (Annexure P-3) and take necessary steps, as may be required, in accordance with law.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

January 13, 2025
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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable:	Yes/No