



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

CRM-M-19070-2025

Date of decision: 05.05.2025

SHAM SUNDER GOYAL

....PETITIONER(S)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....RESPONDENT(S)

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJIV BERRY

Present:- Mr. Anurag Chopra, Advocate for
Mr. Vardaan Seth, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SANJIV BERRY, J.(ORAL)

The instant petition under Section 528 of BNSS has been filed for issuance of necessary directions to the official respondents to safeguard the life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of respondent No.5, being a business rival.

2. It is, *inter alia*, contended by learned counsel for the petitioner that the petitioner had moved the representation to the competent authorities for taking appropriate legal action but no action thereon has been taken. He had moved the representation dated 24.03.2025 (Annexure P-7) to respondent No.2, but till date no action thereon has been taken to redress the grievance of the petitioner. He submits that for the purpose of the petition, the petitioner will be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to respondent No.2- The Senior Superintendent of Police, Faridkot, Punjab, to consider and dispose of the representation dated 24.03.2025 (Annexure P-7) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner by giving opportunity of being heard to the petitioner as well.



3. Notice of motion to official respondents.
4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Iqbalpreet Singh, AAG, Punjab, who is present in Court, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents-State and at the very outset, submits that the representation 24.03.2025 (Annexure P-7) is being considered by the concerned authorities and it will be disposed of in accordance with law expeditiously.
5. After hearing the respective submissions and perusing the record, without commenting on the merits of the case and considering the limited request made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the instant petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2- The Senior Superintendent of Police, Faridkot, Punjab, to consider and dispose of the representation dated 24.03.2025 (Annexure P-7) in accordance with law in an expeditious manner after giving opportunity of being heard to the petitioner.
6. The decision so taken be also intimated to the petitioner as well.
7. Disposed of.

(SANJIV BERRY)
JUDGE

05.05.2025

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |