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

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**CRWP-12261-2024 (O&M)
Date of decision: 15.02.2025**

Maje Singh**...Petitioner****Versus****State of Haryana and others****...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA**

Present:- Ms. Payal Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Neeraj Poswal, AAG, Haryana.

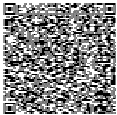
Mr. Nikhil Sehrawat, Advocate
for respondent No. 4.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

1. This petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of direction to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner from the hands of the private respondents and their companions.

2. Upon notice, reply has been filed by the respondent-State. It is submitted therein and learned Assistant Advocate General, Haryana has argued that the petitioner had filed complaints before the police alleging therein that he was owner of a truck bearing registration number HR-56C-4168, which was financed by IndusInd Bank, Jind and on 29.09.2024, the same was snatched by the officials of M/s Shri Balaji Firm and they were extending threats to him when he would ask them to release his vehicle. After

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receiving complaints from the petitioner, due inquiry was conducted on the same, whereby the petitioner was served with a notice to join the inquiry but he did not do so and instead sent his hand written statement. The officials of the aforesaid Bank were also joined into inquiry and it transpired that since the petitioner was not paying the installments against the loan raised by him from the bank for purchasing said vehicle, the same was taken into possession by the Bank. The statement of Mr. Anu Bhardwaj, Deputy Legal Manager of the Bank was also recorded in this regard. Hence, the complaints of the petitioner were consigned to record.

- 3. Learned counsel for the petitioner could not dispute the aforesaid facts.
- 4. In view of the position explained above, no ground is made out to issue any direction to the official respondents. Hence, the petition is dismissed.
- 5. However, the petitioner is granted liberty to avail his alternative remedies in accordance with law.

15.02.2025
Waseem Ansari

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>