



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

CRM-M-22706-2026
Date of decision: 24.04.2026

KULBIR SINGH

...PETITIONER

V/S

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUBHAS MEHLA

Present: Mr. N.K. Banka, Advocate
for the petitioner.

SUBHAS MEHLA, J. (ORAL)

1. Present petition has been filed under Section 528 of BNSS, 2023 for issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to transfer investigation in FIR No.197 dated 22.08.2025 registered under Sections 109, 351(3), 191(3), 190 and 3(5) of Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 (for short 'BNS') and Sections 25 and 27 of Arms Act, 1959 and the cross version dated 26.08.2025 to the crime branch of the State or to any other investigating agency for fair and proper investigation.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner approached this Court by way of filing a petition bearing **CRM-M No.57760 of 2025** titled as '*Kulbir vs. State of Punjab and others*', wherein, a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court, vide order dated 15.10.2025, directed respondent No.3 to decide the representation of the petitioner, within a period of 15 days. However, till date, the representation moved by the petitioner has not been decided.

3. Notice of motion.



4. Mr. Anup Singh, AAG, Punjab, present in Court, accepted notice on behalf of respondent-State and submitted that present FIR and DDR are version and cross-version cases; an FIR has been registered under Section 109 of BNS against seven accused persons, out of which, two accused are on bail and five accused persons are at large; a DDR i.e. cross-version has also been registered under some sections, including Section 109 of BNS against seven accused and all of them are at large; during the inquiry, no one appeared on behalf of the petitioner, therefore, the representation could not be decided.

5. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner would be satisfied if the representation dated 22.08.2026 (Annexure P-3) moved by him, shall be decided in accordance with law, on the basis of petition filed by him.

6. Heard.

7. Keeping in view the limed prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioner that the representation moved by the petitioner, be decided on the basis of documents annexed with the same, the present petition stands disposed of with a direction to the petitioner to submit a copy of the aforementioned representation before respondent No.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural), who shall look into the matter and take action in accordance with law.

April 24, 2026
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(SUBHAS MEHLA)
JUDGE

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