

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

Sr. No.117

**CRWP-5729-2026
Date of Decision: 18.05.2026**

SATINDERPAL SINGH

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE MANDEEP PANNU

Present:- Mr. Rakesh Kumar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

MANDEEP PANNU, J. (Oral)

1. A Criminal Writ Petition under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India read with the relevant provisions of law, seeking issuance of an appropriate writ, order, or direction in the nature of mandamus directing respondents No. 2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and his family members from private respondents No. 5 to 7, who are alleged to have conspired to financially cheat the petitioner, misappropriate funds relating to his petrol pump business, and are further alleged to be extending threats and attempting to falsely implicate him in criminal proceedings. It is further prayed that official respondents No. 2 and 3 be directed to decide the petitioner's pending representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-4) and conduct a fair fact-finding inquiry into the allegations raised therein, in the interest of justice.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that for redressal of their grievance, the petitioner has already filed a representation

dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-4) before the Director General of Police, Punjab Head Quarter, Sector 9, Chandigarh, Deputy Inspector General of Police, District Jalandhar and Senior Superintendent of Police, Kapurthala, District Kapurthala, however no action has been taken on the same till date.

3. Notice of motion.
4. On the asking of the Court, Mr. Sahil Chowdhary, AAG Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.
5. Without commenting upon the merits of the case and in view of the submission made by learned counsel for the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No. 3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Rural Kapurthala, District Kapurthala to decide the representation dated 22.04.2026 (Annexure P-4) filed by the petitioner, qua threat perception in accordance with law within a period of one month from today and grant immediate protection, if any threat to the life and liberty of the petitioner, is perceived.
6. It is being clarified that this order shall not be taken to grant immunity to the petitioner for legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by him.
7. Pending application(s), if any, is/are disposed of.

18.05.2026

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(MANDEEP PANNU)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

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Yes/No

Whether reportable

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Yes/No