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

CRWP-11003-2024

Date of Decision: 18.03.2026

Mehmood Akhtar

... Petitioner(s)

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Aashish Sood, Advocate for
Mr. G.S. Nahel, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Athar Ahmed, AAG, Punjab.

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (Oral)

The prayer in the present petition under Section 528 BNSS, 2023 is for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and his family members as the respondents No.4 and 5 are misusing their official positions and threatening the petitioner to hand-over possession of the property to respondent No.6.

The counsel for the petitioner contends that the petitioner is the owner in possession of the property. At the behest of respondent No.6, respondent Nos. 4 and 5 are pressurizing the petitioner to hand over the property to respondent No.6. Therefore, appropriate directions be issued to respondent Nos. 2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner.

The counsel for the State has filed a reply dated 20.01.2025. While referring to the said reply, he contends that at the instance of respondent No.6, an FIR No.140 dated 28.09.2024 under Sections



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318(4), 336(2), 336(3), 338, 339, 126(2), 115(2), 351(3), 127(7), 61(2), BNS, 2023 stands registered against the petitioner. The present petition is nothing but a pressure tactics adopted by the petitioner so as to negate the FIR registered against him. Therefore, the present petition ought to be dismissed.

I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.

A perusal of the record would reveal that respondent No.6-Shukria got registered the aforementioned FIR No.140 dated 28.09.2024 under Sections 318(4), 336(2), 336(3), 338, 339, 126(2), 115(2), 351(3), 127(7), 61(2), BNS, 2023 against the petitioner and others. This petition seems to be an attempt to pressurize the Investigating Agency. In case the petitioner seeks registration of an FIR against a Police Official, he is at liberty to avail his remedies in accordance with law. Further, he is at liberty to avail his remedies in civil law, if so required.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

March 18, 2026

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Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No