

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

**Criminal Misc. No. M-28757 of 2015
Date of Decision:-27.8.2015**

Vijay Kumar and others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

1. *Whether reporters of local newspapers may be allowed to see judgment?*
2. *To be referred to reporters or not?*
3. *Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Present:- Mr. Kamal Narula, Advocate
for the petitioners.

HARI PAL VERMA J.(Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for quashing of FIR No.120 dated 4.7.2012, under Section 365 read with Section 34 IPC, registered at Police Station Guruharshai, District Ferozepur.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that in the aforesaid FIR the petitioners have been named as accused. The complainant, namely Balkar Singh has filed Criminal Misc. No. M-36474 of 2012 titled 'Balkar Singh vs. State of Punjab and others' seeking direction for fair investigation, which was dismissed as infructuous by this Court on 18.2.2013. The order dated 18.2.2013 read as under :-

“By this petition prayer has been made to conduct a fair and proper investigation of FIR No.120,

under Section 365/34 IPC, registered at Police Station Guruharsahai, District Ferozepur.

Learned Addl. A.G. states that actually the daughter of the complainant has run away and got married with one Surinder Singh and is living with him. Learned counsel for respondents No.4 to 7 states that the daughter of the complainant not only got married but also got protection from this Court and have nothing to do with this prayer. Learned Addl.A.G. on instructions from HC Sukhdev Singh, has corroborated this statement and has said that the police has prepared a cancellation report and further that the said cancellation report shall be filed within one month.

In this view of the matter this petition has been rendered fructuous and is dismissed as such.”

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that despite there being a statement by the learned Additional Advocate General that the police has prepared the cancellation report and the same shall be filed within one month, no such cancellation report has been filed so far. He further submits that the petitioners have submitted an application dated 14.8.2015 (Annexure P-4) but no action has been taken on that.

Without commenting on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Ferozepur to look into the contents of the application dated 14.8.2015 and to pass an appropriate order as warranted by law expeditiously.

August 27, 2015
Vijay Asija

(**HARI PAL VERMA**)
JUDGE