

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

**CRM-M No. 2310 of 2016
Date of decision: 27.10.2016**

Rano

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab & Others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE JAISHREE THAKUR

Present:- None for the petitioner.

Mr. Arshdeep S. Kler, DAG, Punjab
for respondent Nos. 1 to 3.

None for respondent Nos. 4 to 11.

JAISHREE THAKUR, J. (Oral)

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure contending that FIR No. 98 under Sections 377, 149 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code read with Section 4 of POCSO Act, 2012 at Police Station Bhawanigarh, District Sangrur came to be registered on 14.08.2015 but the police was taking no action thereon. By way of this petition, a direction was sought for status report to be filed as to what action had been taken by the respondent-police on the said FIR.

Notice of motion was issued to the respondents and pursuant thereto, a reply has been filed. Learned State counsel, on instructions from HC Avtar Singh as well as by relying upon the status report submitted by Mr. Gagandeep Singh, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division,

Sangrur, submits that the matter has investigated and the accused were arrested. However, being juvenile, they have been released on bail by the Principal Magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board, Sangrur. Furthermore, on the direction of the trial Court, the accused have also been medically examined and the report of the doctor has been submitted. After the completion of the interrogation, challan of the case has been prepared and presented in the Court of Principal Magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board and charges have been framed thereunder.

In view of the fact that this petition was filed seeking direction for the respondents to act on the FIR, this Court notes that the police has investigated the matter and submitted the challan before the Juvenile Board and charges have already been framed, hence, no further action is called for in the matter.

Accordingly, this petition is disposed.

October 27, 2016
Ansari

(JAISHREE THAKUR)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned

Yes

Whether reportable

No