

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

CRM-M No.36740 of 2016

Date of decision: October 10, 2016

Gurinder Singh and another

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

Present: Mr. Kirpal Singh Thakur, Advocate and
Mr. Rahul Bhargava, Advocate
for the petitioners.

JASPAL SINGH, J.(ORAL)

This is a petition preferred under Section 482 of Code of Criminal Procedure seeking issuance of direction to respondent No.2 to protect/safeguard the life of the petitioners and not to harass them in any manner at the instance of respondents No.4 to 7.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents-State. Copy of the petition be supplied to him during the course of the day.

The contention of learned counsel for the petitioners is that though representation dated 06.10.2016 (Annexure P-5) was moved to Senior Superintendent of Police, Roopnagar but till date no action has been taken. Rather, the SHO, P.S. City Roopnagar and DSP, Roopnagar are calling the petitioners time and again in the Police Station at the instance of the private respondents. Even the petitioners were also given severe beatings in the Police Station. The injuries sustained by the petitioners are evident from the copy of the MLR as well as photographs.

The instant petition is disposed of with direction to Senior Superintendent of Police, Roopnagar to look into the grievances unfolded by the petitioners in their representation dated 06.10.2016 (Annexure P-5) and to take appropriate action in accordance with law within a period of one month from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.

It is also made clear that since the SHO, P.S. City Roopnagar as well as DSP, Roopnagar are alleged to have connived with the private respondents, the matter be got inquired into from the officer(s) not below the rank of Superintendent of Police.

October 10, 2016
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(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking/Reasoned	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable	:	Yes/No