

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

Crl. Misc. No.M-31539 of 2016 (O&M)

Date of Decision: 25.08.2017

Surinder Singh and others

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

..... Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MRS.JUSTICE LISA GILL

Present: Mr. Nakul Sharma, Advocate
for the petitioners.

LISA GILL, J(Oral).

This petition has been filed for quashing of FIR No. 87, dated 28.06.2016, under Sections 406, 498-A IPC, registered at Police Station Women Cell, Jalandhar, District Jalandhar.

It is noted that all the three petitioners are presently residing in England. The matter was adjourned on 3rd of November, 2016 to enable learned counsel for the petitioners to seek instructions as the petitioners were abroad. The following order was passed on the last date of hearing:-

“This matter was adjourned on 3rd of November, 2016 to enable learned counsel for the petitioners to seek instructions as the petitioners were abroad. The matter has been adjourned repeatedly on request of learned counsel for the petitioners. Today, again there is a request for an adjournment as the arguing counsel is stated to be in personal difficulty.

In the interest of justice, adjourned to 25th August, 2017.

In case, necessary instructions are not forthcoming on the next date of hearing, this petition shall be dismissed for non-prosecution.”

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that despite best efforts, he is unable to contact the petitioners and neither have they got in touch with him.

It appears that the petitioners are not interested in pursuing this matter any longer.

Dismissed for want of prosecution.

**[LISA GILL]
Judge**

25.08.2017
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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable: Yes/No