

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

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CRM-M-27271-2018

Date of Decision: July 04, 2018

Preeti Kalota and another

.....Petitioner(s)

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE SUDHIR MITTAL

Present: Mr. G.S. Verma, Advocate for the petitioners.

Sudhir Mittal, J. (Oral)

This petition has been filed for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners as well as their family members, which appears to be under threat from respondents No. 5 to 9. A representation dated 25.06.2018 (Annexure P-2), has been submitted before respondent No.2, but no action has been taken thereupon till date.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 4 only.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 4. Let five copies of the complete paperbook be supplied to him during the course of the day. Considering the nature of the order being passed, there is no necessity to issue notice to the private respondents.

The petition is disposed of with direction to respondent No.2, to objectively consider the representation dated 25.06.2018 (Annexure P-2) and to grant protection to the petitioners and their family members, in case it is felt necessary after conducting proper inquiry. Needful be done within a period of eight weeks from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order.

July 04, 2018

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**[SUDHIR MITTAL]
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned :	Yes
Whether Reportable :	No