

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

Sr.No.222

CRM-M-42146-2017

Date of Decision:05.10.2018

Lakhwinder Singh and another

....petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr.Vishal Khatri, Advocate
for the petitioners

Mr.Sidakmeet Sandhu, AAG Punjab

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J.(ORAL):

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of a direction to take action as per the provisions (Forfeiture of Property derived from or used in illicit traffic) under Chapter V-A of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 (for short, “NDPS Act”), regarding the initiation of the proceedings against the petitioners.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from ASI Kanwardeep Singh and as per affidavit of Deputy Superintendent of Police, Special Task Force, Border Range, Amritsar, submits that the present petition is premature as till date, neither the petitioners have been called by the police nor any proceedings have been initiated in order to forfeit/freeze/seize the moveable or immovable property of the petitioners. In para No.5 of the affidavit, the petitioners are stated to be involved in five other FIRs.

In view of the same, this petition is rendered infructuous, being

pre-mature, granting liberty to the petitioners to avail the remedy as and when required.

Dismissed as infructuous.

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No.
Whether reportable-	Yes/No