

**In The High Court for the States of Punjab and Haryana
At Chandigarh**

CRM-M-17862-2019 (O&M)

Date of Decision:-22.4.2019

Randhir Kaur and another

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Karanjeet Singh Brar, Advocate for the petitioners.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

The petitioners have approached this Court seeking issuance of directions to respondents No.2 to 4 not to harass the petitioners in connection with FIR No.61 dated 27.3.2019 registered at Police Station Civil Lines, Bathinda, District Bathinda under Sections 307, 325, 323, 120-B, 148 and 149 of Indian Penal Code lodged against husband of petitioner No.1.

The learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that FIR No.61 dated 27.3.2019 was lodged against husband of petitioner No.1 at the instance of Amandeep Singh and although the relations of petitioner No.1 are strained with her husband Sandeep Bhalla and she is residing with her parents but the police is unnecessarily harassing petitioner No.1 and petitioner No.2-Bant Singh Sidhu, who is father of petitioner No.1.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioners, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior

Superintendent of Police, Bathinda to look into the matter and to ensure that the petitioners are not unnecessarily harassed. In case, the petitioners are required to be associated with any inquiry or any information is to be elicited from them in connection with FIR No.61 dated 27.3.2019, then a prior written notice be furnished to them before summoning them.

It is, however, made clear that the aforesaid directions shall not confer any immunity upon the petitioners in case it is found that the petitioners have committed any cognizable offence.

A copy of this order be sent to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Bathinda so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

22.4.2019

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(Gurvinder Singh Gill)
Judge

Whether speaking /reasoned Yes / No

Whether Reportable Yes / No