

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

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**CRM-M- 39702-2018(O&M)
Date of Order: 20.11.2019**

Sumit Mittal and another **..Petitioners**

Versus

State of Haryana and another **..Respondents**

CRM-M- 39725-2018(O&M)

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State of Haryana and another **..Respondents**

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KSHETARPAL

Present: Mr. R.S.Cheema, Sr. Advocate
with Mr. Deepak Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Vikas Chopra, DAG, Haryana

Mr. Gaurav Chopra, Advocate
for respondent no.2.

ANIL KSHETARPAL, J(Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the police after investigation did not find any material against the petitioners and therefore, prepared cancellation report, which is not disputed by learned counsel appearing for the State.

However, learned counsel for the State, on instructions from Inspector Ashok Kumar, submits that on the application of the first informant/victim, further investigation is being carried out and, therefore, the cancellation report which has been prepared is not final.

Keeping in view the facts of the case, it would not be appropriate for this court to keep the matter pending, particularly when investigations are in progress.

However, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that since as on date, no material has been found against the petitioners, therefore, their liberty be protected and directions be issued to conclude the investigation within 3 months.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from Inspector Ashok Kumar, has no objection.

In view of the aforesaid fact, both the petitions are disposed of by directing the Investigating Agency to conclude the investigations within 3 months.

In the meantime petitioners shall not be arrested without giving them advance notice of at least 10 days.

Needless to observe that the petitioners shall be at liberty to file fresh petitions as and when required.

November 20, 2019
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(ANIL KSHETARPAL)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned
Whether reportable

: Yes/No
: Yes/No