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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

CRWP-5334-2020 (O&M)
Date of decision: 14.10.2020

Harjinder Kaur and another

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present: Mr. Sahil Soi, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Shaurya Puri, Advocate
for respondents No.7 & 9.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of directions to protect the lives and liberty of the petitioners.

As per averments in the petition, petitioner No.2 was married to respondent No.9 on 05.12.2012, however, the marriage went in doll-drum and despite convening the Panchayat, no settlement could be arrived at. Thereafter, petitioner No.2 filed a petition for divorce and ex-parte decree of divorce was passed on 27.05.2020. Now respondent No.9 has filed a complaint under Section 154 Cr.P.C. and the same is referred to the police authorities.

Learned State counsel, on instructions from DSP Sarabjit Singh,

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Jalandhar Rural, submits that the matter has been inquired into by DSP, Jalandhar Rural and it is recommended to register an FIR against the petitioners under Section 498-A IPC.

Learned counsel for respondents No.7 & 9 submits that since ex-parte was taken by concealing the facts, an application for setting aside the same is filed.

In view of the above, no further action is called for in the present petition and the same is dismissed.

**[ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN]
JUDGE**

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether Reportable : Yes/No