

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-5190-2021 (O&M)
Date of decision: 15.06.2021

Rano & another

.....Petitioners

versus

State of Haryana and others

....Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr. Justice Girish Agnihotri

Present: Ms. Sunita Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. Karan Garg, AAG, Haryana.

GIRISH AGNIHOTRI, J. (Oral)

The matter has been taken up through video-conferencing on account of restrictions due to outbreak of pandemic COVID-19.

Petitioners-Rano and Mohabbat, both stated to be aged 30 years respectively, have jointly filed the present petition *inter alia* with a prayer for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus for directing respondents No.2 and 3 to protect life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of private respondents No. 4 and 5.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that both the petitioners are living on rent at the address given in the petition and they are also ready to furnish the rent deed to the authority concerned. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that for the same/similar grievances, the

petitioners have submitted a representation dated 22.05.2021 (Annexure P-3) before the Superintendent of Police, District Nuh-Mewat (respondent No.2), but till date no action has been taken.

Notice of motion.

On asking of the Court, Mr. Karan Garg, AAG, Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the State. He on instructions from ASI Hansraj, submits that the petitioners were not found on the address given in the petition.

In the peculiar facts and circumstances as noticed above, considering the fact that the petitioners have approached this Court seeking protection of their life and liberty, it is deemed appropriate to direct the Superintendent of Police, District Nuh-Mewat (respondent No.2) to look in to the representation (which the petitioners may submit before him along-with documentary proof/affidavit of the residential address).

While refraining from making any expression as regards the veracity of the averments made in the petition, the petition is **disposed of** with a direction that in case, the petitioners approach the police authorities concerned, with above representation (Annexure P-3) with regard to their alleged threat perception, the same shall be got examined by the Superintendent of Police, District Nuh-Mewat, Haryana(respondent No.2) as expeditiously as possible, in accordance with law and necessary steps as may be warranted under the facts and circumstances of the case, be taken thereupon forthwith.

A copy of this order be sent to the Superintendent of Police, District Nuh-Mewat, Haryana (respondent No.2), so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously through e-mail or any other mode by the Registry.

Ordered accordingly.

(GIRISH AGNIHOTRI)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/ reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No