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

CRWP-6261-2021

Date of decision-08.07.2021

Ruby and another

...Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MANOJ BAJAJ

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

MANOJ BAJAJ, J.

Petitioners have filed this criminal writ petition under Article 226 Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus for directions to the official respondents for protection of their life and liberty.

Learned counsel contends that the petitioners are sister and wife of Inderjit Singh, respectively, who are facing harassment at the hands of the Police as Inderjit Singh is an accused in a cross case recorded in case FIR No.107 dated 18.10.2019 registered under Section 302 IPC at Police Station Zira. He has pointed out that the said accused is yet to be arrested and the police is frequently visiting the residence of the petitioners and is causing harassment. In this regard, petitioners have given representation dated 11.05.2021 (Annexure P-1), but no action has been taken so far. He prays for issuance of necessary

directions.

After hearing learned counsel for the petitioners, this Court is of the opinion that admittedly Inderjit Singh is relative of the petitioners, who is at large and is involved in the case related to crime against human body. If the police is making an attempt to apprehend the accused and visits to his ordinary place of residence, it cannot be construed as harassment to the petitioners. The prayer made in the petition is misplaced, therefore, this Court does not find any reason to exercise the extra ordinary writ jurisdiction under Article 226 Constitution of India.

Dismissed.

(MANOJ BAJAJ)
JUDGE

08.07.2021

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