

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

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**CRWP No.9833 of 2021
Date of decision: 13.10.2021**

Shree Gauri Shankar Mandir Prabhandhak Committee

...Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab and Others

..Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANOOP CHITKARA

Present: Mr. K.S. Dadwal, Advocate for the petitioner.

(Through Video Conferencing)

ANOOP CHITKARA, J.(ORAL)

The nature of order this Court purposes to pass would not need any reply from the respondents or the service of private respondents.

The limited prayer for which the Mandir Committee through its President Jatinder Mahajan has approached to this Court for providing security in the temple complex due to current festive season. The Mandir Committee has apprehension that respondents No. 9 to 12 may cause hindrances and create unwarranted situation in the temple complex.

Mr. Sidakmeet Singh Sandhu, AAG, Punjab, submits that to maintain law and order, the State would have no objection to provide adequate security provided the Mandir Committee bears their expenditure for the personal stay, food etc. if they want such protection/security.

Given above, this petition is closed and respondent No.7-SHO, Police Station Division No.1, Jalandhar is directed to provide adequate security as demanded by the temple committee from today till 15.11.2021.

It is clarified that all these expenditure which shall be incurred by the State to provide the security shall be borne by the Mandir Committee. In case,

Mandir Committee fails to pay then it shall be the personal responsibility of its

President, Jatinder Mahajan to pay the entire expenses within a period of one month.

With the aforesaid directions, the present petition is closed.

The petitioner shall be at liberty to approach this Court in case, such security is required for further period by filing a fresh petition and by also annexing the receipt of previous payment.

(ANOOP CHITKARA)
JUDGE

October 13, 2021
Poonam Sharma

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes/No

Whether Reportable: Yes/No