

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

Sr. No.111

CRM-M-2039 of 2022

Date of Decision: 18.01.2022

Raj Kumar and others

.... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANT PARKASH

Present: Mr. S.K.Agnihotri, Advocate
for the petitioners.

SANT PARKASH, J.

*[The aforesaid presence is being recorded through video conferencing
since the proceedings are being conducted in virtual court]*

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. seeking issuance of directions to official respondents to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of private respondents and decide the representation dated 18.10.2021 (Annexure P-9) moved by petitioner No.1.

It is submitted that on 10.09.2021, petitioner No.1 was getting solar system installed on the roof of his house and for that purpose, he brought gravel and kept the same with the wall of the house in the street. In the evening, private respondents started spreading the gravel with their spades and started picking the same to their house. When petitioner No.1 stopped them from doing so, the said private respondents forcibly entered into the house of petitioner No.1 armed with kahi, rods, bricks etc. and attacked the latter and his family members. Even after reporting the matter to police, no action was taken against the said respondents, rather the petitioners were pressurized to compromise the matter with the private

respondents. Consequently, petitioner No.1 moved a representation dated 18.10.2021 (Annexure P-9) to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib, but till date, no action has been taken on the same.

Now, the prayer on behalf of the petitioners is that a direction be issued to the official respondents to decide the representation of the petitioners in an expeditious manner.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Tanvir Joshi, Assistant Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3 and has no objection if an appropriate direction be issued for deciding the representation of the petitioner.

In view of the above, the instant criminal writ petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2–Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib to decide the representation dated 18.10.2021 (Annexure P-9) within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order.

Registry is directed to send a copy of this order along with copy of the petition and above said representation to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Fatehgarh Sahib for requisite compliance within the time period granted by this Court.

(SANT PARKASH)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No
Whether reportable : Yes/No