

**(226) IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRWP-1545-2022

Date of decision : 02.03.2022

MANDEEP KAUR AND ANR

... Petitioners

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Jatinder Pal Singh, Advocate with
Mr. Ajay Bhardwaj, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Sidakmeet Singh Sandhu, Asstt. A.G., Punjab.

(Through Video Conferencing)

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The present Criminal Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of directions to respondent Nos.1 to 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners.

Reply has been filed on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 3 by the learned State counsel by way of an affidavit of PPS, DSP, Jagraon, District Ludhiana(Rural) and the same is taken on record.

On 21.02.2022, the following order was passed:-

“Due to COVID-19 situation, the Court is convened through video conference.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only at this stage.

Mr. Amit Mehta, Sr. DAG Punjab, appearing on advance notice accepts the same and seeks time to have instructions.

Put up on 2.3.2022.

In the meantime, the police officials not below the rank of Deputy Superintendent of Police should record the statements of the petitioners.

In case a request is made by the petitioners, they may be provided shelter in safe house till the next date.”

A perusal of the reply would reveal that the statements of the petitioners had been recorded, wherein, they have been stated that they do not face any threats from anyone.

In this view of the matter, no further orders are required to be passed in this petition.

Disposed of.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

02.03.2022
JITESH

Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No