

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

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CRWP-5085-2022

Date of Decision: 26.05.2022

Rajiv Kumar & others

...Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. R.S.Waraich, Advocate, for the petitioners.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (Oral)

The petitioners have approached this Court seeking issuance of a direction to official respondents to protect their lives and liberty as they apprehend threat to the same at the hands of respondents No.4 & 5.

It is worth noticing that respondent No.4 – Ramandeep is wife of petitioner No.1 – Rajiv Kumar and respondent No.5 – Kamlesh is mother-in-law of petitioner No.1 – Rajiv Kumar. While all the petitioners are residing either in Zirakpur and Kurali i.e. in District SAS Nagar (Mohali), the private respondents are residing in Doraha, District Ludhiana. Upon perusal of the petition, this Court finds that the matter has basically arisen from some matrimonial discord between petitioner No.1 and respondent No.4. Though this Court would not like to make any expression as to what kind of apprehension the petitioners have as regards the threat to their security at the hands of two ladies i.e. respondents No.4 & 5, but since the petitioners have stated so in the petition and have also submitted a representation recently i.e. on

20.05.2022 (Annexure P-1), respondent No.2 – Senior Superintendent of Police, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana is directed to get the said representation examined as regards the alleged threat perception in accordance with law so that the same is disposed of expeditiously.

Since this Court *prima facie* finds that the matter has arisen out of matrimonial discord, respondent No.2 to refer the parties to some experienced Mediator to probe the possibility of compromise.

A copy of this order alongwith copy of the representation dated 20.05.2022 be sent to Senior Superintendent of Police, Police District Khanna, District Ludhiana (respondent No.2), so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

26.05.2022

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**(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE**Whether speaking/reasoned: **Yes/No**Whether reportable: **Yes/No**