

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

**CRWP-12422-2021
Date of decision : 10.02.2022**

Manminderpal Kaur & Ors.

... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab & others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASJIT SINGH BEDI

Present: Mr. Kiranpal Rana, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Kirat Singh Sidhu, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab.

(Through Video Conferencing)

JASJIT SINGH BEDI, J. (ORAL)

The learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioner No.1-Manminderpal Kaur has been estranged from her husband, who has been involved in case bearing FIR No.269 dated 20.12.2021, registered under Sections 15, 18, 18-C, 25 and 29 of NDPS Act at Police Station Sahnewal, District Ludhiana and the official respondents were threatening her to disclose his whereabouts, which she is not aware of.

The learned State counsel has filed a status report by way of an affidavit of Assistant Commissioner of Police (South), Ludhiana dated 24.01.2022 on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 3 and the same is taken on record. As per the status report, the house of the petitioners was raided on 22.12.2021 and 30.12.2021 to trace Pavitar Singh (husband of

petitioner No.1) and therefore, there was no question of harassing/threatening the petitioners. It would be relevant to point out here that the husband of petitioner No.1, namely, Pavitar Singh is still absconding.

Apparently, the present petition has been filed to pressurize the police not to take appropriate legal action against Pavitar Singh husband of petitioner No.1.

In this view of the matter, no further orders are called for. The petitioners are at liberty to take appropriate legal remedies in accordance with law.

Disposed off.

(JASJIT SINGH BEDI)
JUDGE

10.02.2022
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Whether speaking/reasoned:- Yes/No

Whether reportable:- Yes/No