

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

CRWP-5776-2023

Date of decision: 08.06.2023

RAJNI AND ANOTHER

....Petitioners.

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

....Respondents.

CORAM:- HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARKESH MANUJA

Present:- Mr. Mukesh Mehra, Advocate for the petitioners.

HARKESH MANUJA, J.(ORAL)

By way of present criminal writ petition filed under Article 227 of the Constitution of India, prayer has been made for issuance of directions to respondents No.2 to 4 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondents No.5 to 10.

2. In the present case, FIR No.0078 dated 11.03.2023, under Section 323, 341, 506, 147 and 149 of IPC, at Police Station Dera Bassi, District SAS Nagar, (Mohali) (Annexure P-1), was registered at the instance of petitioner No.1 against the private respondents and as an offshoot thereof, the private respondents have been threatening the petitioners of dire consequences and in this regard, the petitioners have already submitted representation dated 05.04.2023 (Annexure P-7).

3. Without going into the merits of the representation, respondent No.3 is directed to look into the representation (Annexure P-7) dated 05.04.2023 and to assess the threat to the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of the private respondents.

4. In addition, the investigating agency is also directed to conclude the investigation in the aforementioned FIR and to present the final report before the Ilacqua Magistrate within a period of four weeks.

5. Disposed of in the aforesaid terms.

(HARKESH MANUJA)
JUDGE

08.06.2023

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| i) | Whether speaking/reasoned? | Yes/No |
| ii) | Whether reportable? | Yes/No |