

2023:PHHC:097253

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

120 **CRWP-7509-2023**
DATE OF DECISION: 31.07.2023

JAGDISH SINGH AND ORS. ... Petitioner (s)

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS ... Respondent(s)

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL

Present: Mr. Abhishek Sharma, Advocate for the petitioners.

Mr. Shubham Kaushik, AAG, Punjab.

Mr. Ankhu Bali, Addl. PP, UT, Chandigarh.

ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL, J. (ORAL)

The petitioners are seeking a direction to the official respondents to protect their life and liberty as they apprehend danger from the private respondents.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that petitioner No.1 is 93 years old and petitioner No.2 is 81 years old. Petitioners No.3 & 4 are their daughter and son-in law respectively. They are being threatened and harassed by respondent No.7, who is son of petitioners No.1 & 2. Petitioners No.1 & 2 had already disowned him vide publication dated 03.10.2018. Respondent No.7, however, continues to harass and threaten them. They have also sent a representation (Annexure P-8) to Senior Superintendent of Police, SAS Nagar Mohali in this regard.

3. Issue notice to respondents No.1 to 5 only at this stage. At the asking of the Court, Mr. Shubham Kaushik, AAG, Punjab accepts notice on

behalf of respondents No.1 to 3 and Mr. Ankhu Bali, Addl. PP, UT, Chandigarh accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.4 & 5.

4. Heard. The petition is disposed of with a direction to Senior Superintendent of Police, SAS Nagar Mohali, to look into the representation (Annexure P-8) and take steps in accordance with law to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners.

(ANUPINDER SINGH GREWAL)
JUDGE

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