

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRM-M-3841-2024

Date of decision: 24.01.2024

Rajwant Kaur and others

.....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Shakti Mehta, Advocate for the petitioners.

MANJARI NEHRU KAUL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioners are seeking issuance of directions to official respondent No.3 not to harass and humiliate them by raiding their houses and by calling them to their office at odd hours without there being any FIR/complaint against the petitioners and without complying with the provisions of Section 160 of the Cr.P.C.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners inter alia contends that despite no allegations having been levelled against the petitioners in FIR No.0002 dated 03.01.2024 under Sections 419, 420, 465, 467, 468, 471, 120-B of the IPC which was registered at Police Station Lalru, District SAS Nagar (Mohali) against the husband of petitioner No.1, the police party had been continuously raiding their house and unnecessarily harassing the petitioners. Learned counsel submits that in the said regard a representation Annexure P-3 had also been made before the Senior Superintendent of Police, District SAS Nagar (Mohali) on 18.01.2024 (Annexure P-3) praying that they may not be unnecessarily harassed by respondent No.3.

3. After arguing for some time, learned counsel submits that he would be satisfied if appropriate directions could be issued to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, District SAS Nagar (Mohali) to look into the representation and take appropriate steps.

4. Notice of motion.

5. On asking of the Court, Mr. Arun Luthra, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents.

6. In view of the restricted prayer made by learned counsel for the petitioners, the instant petition is disposed of with directions to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, District SAS Nagar (Mohali) to look into the representation dated 18.01.2024 (Annexure P-3) and take appropriate steps, if any, required, in accordance with law.

24.01.2024

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(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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