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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

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Date of Decision : 18.12.2024

Paramjit Kaur and another

.....Appellants

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE KIRTI SINGH

Present: Ms. Rajvinder Kaur Sohal, Advocate
for the appellants

Mr. R.S. Thind, DAG Punjab

KIRTI SINGH, J.(Oral)

1. The present appeal is directed against the order dated 05.10.2024 passed by Additional Sessions Judge, SAS Nagar whereby application filed by the appellants seeking pre-arrest bail in GD No. 025 dated 03.07.2024, registered under Sections 323/294 IPC and Section 3 of the SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act at Police Station Mullanpur Garibdas, Mohali stands dismissed.
2. Learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Balwinder Singh submits that in compliance of order dated 10.10.2024, the appellants have joined the investigation and are not required for any further investigation.
3. Having considered the aforesaid facts and circumstances, the appeal is allowed. Order dated 10.10.2024 passed by this Court, is hereby made absolute.
4. This order should not be treated as "blanket" order. It will not be read granting the appellants indefinite protection from arrest. It shall be confined to the

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FIR mentioned *ibid* and will not operate in respect of any other incident that involves commission of an offence.

5. This order does not in any manner limit or restrict the rights or duties of the police or investigating agency to investigate into the charges against the appellants.

6. The accused/appellants shall not directly or indirectly make any inducement, threat or promise to any person acquainted with the facts of the case so as to dissuade them from disclosing such facts to the Court or to any police officer.

7. The accused/appellants shall not leave India without prior permission of the Court.

8. The accused/appellants shall join investigation as and when called by the police.

9. It will be open to the police or the investigating agency to move to this Court for a direction under Section 483(3) BNSS to arrest the accused, in the event of violation of any term, such as absconding, non-cooperating during investigation, evasion, intimidation or inducement to witnesses with a view to influence outcome of the investigation or trial.

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**(KIRTI SINGH)
JUDGE**

Whether speaking/reasoned? Yes/No
Whether reportable? Yes/No