



**116 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-11614-2024

Date of Decision: 02.12.2024

Ishan Gupta and another

..... Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJESH BHARDWAJ

Present: Mr.Suksham Aggarwal, Advocate, for the petitioners.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (ORAL)

Prayer in the present petition is for issuance of direction to respondents No.1 to 3 to protect the life and personal liberty of the petitioners by providing adequate security/police protection, due to failure and inaction on the part of Local Police.

Learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that the petitioners are NRI and there is a dispute between the husband and wife on account of the custody of the children. He submits that the matter is already pending adjudication before the Family Court, Patiala, however, the petitioners are being threatened by respondent No.5. He submits that one child i.e. petitioner No.2 is with the father i.e. petitioner No.1 and now the father is being threatened by respondent No.5, for forcibly taking the custody of the child. He further submits that for the redressal of his grievance, petitioner No.1 has already filed a representation dated 21.11.2024 (Annexure P-6) before respondent No.3, however, no action has been taken on the same till date.

Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State.

After hearing learned counsel for the parties, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3 i.e. Senior Superintendent of Police, Patiala to decide the representation dated 21.11.2024 (Annexure P-6) filed by the petitioner in accordance with law within a period of one month from today and grant immediate protection, if any threat to the life and liberty of the petitioners, is perceived.

02.12.2024		(RAJESH BHARDWAJ)
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	Whether Speaking/Reasoned :	Yes/No
	Whether Reportable :	Yes/No