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

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**CRWP-2576-2025
Decided on:26.03.2025**

Puran Chand and another**...Petitioners****Versus****State of Punjab and others****...Respondents****Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajesh Bhardwaj**

Present: Ms. Shruti Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Rajesh Bhardwaj, J. (Oral)

1. The petitioners, who are senior citizens, have filed the present petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India read with Section 528 of BNSS, 2023, for issuance of directions to respondents no.2 & 3 to provide protection of life and liberty to them, who are apprehending danger of their life and liberty at the behest of respondents no.4 to 9.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that their son, namely, Sandeep Kumar, was married to respondent no.4 Gagandeep Rani and due to severe matrimonial disputes and various acts of misbehaviour and misconduct, they disinherited their son and daughter-in-law from their family and property(ies). He submits that their daughter-in-law, i.e. respondent 4 and her relatives, i.e. respondents no.5 to 9, in order to grab their property(ies), are continuously threatening the petitioners with dire consequences and hence, they apprehend danger from them. He further submits that the petitioners have already submitted representation dated 10.03.2025 (Annexure P-5) to respondent no.3 but no action is being taken upon it since long.

3. Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

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4. Mr. Tarun Aggarwal, Sr. DAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the State.
5. Without entering upon an exercise to evaluate the evidentiary value of the documents placed on the file, I dispose of the petition with a direction to respondent no.3-Senior Superintendent of Police, Bathinda to decide representation dated 10.03.2025 (Annexure P-5) and grant protection of life and liberty to the petitioners, if any threat to their life and liberty is perceived.
6. It is clarified that this order shall not be taken to grant immunity to the petitioner and his family members from legal action for violation of law, if any, committed by them.

March 26, 2025
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(Rajesh Bhardwaj)
Judge

Whether Speaking/Reasoned: NO/YES
Whether Reportable: NO/YES