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

**CRWP-3881-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision: 30.04.2025**

Darshinder Singh and others

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR

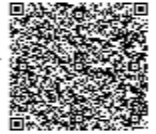
Present: Mr. Ashok Kumar Sama, Advocate
for the petitioners.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

1. Instant criminal writ petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India seeking issuance of a writ in the nature of mandamus directing respondents No.2 & 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of private respondents and further to decide the representation dated 17.04.2025 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioners.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioners, *inter alia*, contends that one Gursahib Singh, who is son of petitioner No.2 and brother of petitioners No.1 & 3, stood as witness to an agreement entered between the private respondents and one Avtar Singh son of Mangal Singh, resident of Village Dona Mattar, Tehsil Gurharsahai, District Ferozepur. The private respondents came to house

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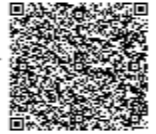


of the petitioners and said that Gursahib Singh prepared a forged agreement of their land by impersonating some person. Upon this, the petitioners made them to understand that they had disowned Gursahib Singh and they have no connection with the said agreement. On the next day, the private respondents threatened the petitioners and pressurized them to return the forged agreement, which is in possession of Gursahib Singh and Avtar Singh. Further, on 02.04.2025, respondent No.6 Pritam Kaur along with other private respondents and some other persons went to workplace of petitioner No.1 (Dispensary) situated at Village Chugga and she threatened him to return the forged agreement, otherwise she would commit suicide by implicating him. He was saved by his colleagues and other villagers. On 17.04.2025, in the evening, the private respondents along with some unknown persons came to house of the petitioners and quarrelled with them and gave beatings to petitioner No.2 and tried to drag him, however, with the people of the society, he was rescued. Thereafter, the petitioners approached respondent No.2 by submitting a representation (Annexure P-1) on 17.04.2025, however, till date, no action has been taken thereon.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioners further submits that the petitioners would be satisfied, in case a direction is issued to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 17.04.2025 (Annexure P-1) submitted by them in a time bound manner.

4. Notice of motion to the official respondents only.

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5. On asking of the Court, Mr. Subhash Godara, Addl. A.G., Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3-State. Learned counsel for the petitioners is directed to supply copy of complete paperbook to learned State counsel during course of the day.

6. Keeping in view the prayer made by the petitioners and without commenting anything on the merits of the case, present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2 to consider and decide the representation dated 17.04.2025 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioners within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law.

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[HARPREET SINGH BRAR]
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No