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

CRWP-6828-2025

Date of decision: 14.07.2025

Nirmal Singh and others

....Petitioners

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARPREET SINGH BRAR**Present:** None for the petitioners.

Mr. Rishabh Singla, AAG, Punjab.

HARPREET SINGH BRAR, J. (ORAL)

The present criminal writ petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of *mandamus* by directing respondents No.2 & 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners at the hands of respondent No.4.

On 27.06.2025, the following order was passed:-

'Petitioner Nos.1 and 2 are the parents, whereas petitioner Nos.3 and 4 are the brothers of Rajdeep Singh. Petitioners seeks appropriate writ to be issued by this Court in the nature of mandamus to direct respondent Nos.2 and 3 to protect their life and liberty as it is being alleged that Rajdeep Singh has run away with a minor girl.

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that petitioners have nothing to do with the said offence, but the police is pressurizing them to produce the boy and girl.

Notice of motion.

Mr. Animesh Sharma, Addl. A.G., Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the respondent-State. Copy of paper book be supplied to him during the course of day.

Let status report be filed on 14.07.2025.

In the meantime, the State is hereby directed to provide necessary protection to the petitioners after assessing threat perception to their life.'

Keeping in view the prayer made by the petitioners and without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed

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of with a direction to respondent No.3 to consider and decide the representation dated 02.06.2025 (Annexure P-1) submitted by the petitioner and take appropriate steps including grant of any protection to the petitioner in view of the apprehension, if any, within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order, in accordance with law.

(HARPREET SINGH BRAR)
JUDGE

14.07.2025*Neha*

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