

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-13914-2025

Date of decision : 23.12.2025

Kanta Kapoor and Anr.

..... Petitioners

V/S

State of Punjab and Ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE AMARJOT BHATTI

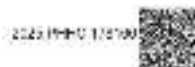
Present: Mr. Nippun Sharma, Advocate for petitioners.

Mr. Jasjit Singh Rattu, DAG, Punjab.

AMARJOT BHATTI J. (ORAL)

1. Petitioners – Kanta Kapoor and Swaran Prakash have filed present criminal writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India seeking appropriate direction in the nature of mandamus to official respondents No.1 to 3 to take appropriate action to protect the life and liberty of petitioners from the hands of respondent No.4 or any other direction which the Court may deem fit in the given facts and circumstances of the case.

2. Learned counsel for petitioners pointed out that at the instance of Shivika Kapoor respondent No.4, FIR No.112 dated 26.04.2025, under Sections 115(2), 126(2), 351(3), 74, 3(5) of BNS 2023, was registered at Police Station Division No.7, Police Commissionerate Ludhiana. All allegations levelled against them were false. Present petitioners were granted anticipatory bail in CRM-M-27896-2025 and CRM-M-31611-2025 with connected bail petition vide order dated 16.10.2025 (Annexure P-1). Due to matrimonial dispute various litigations started. In fact, private respondent gave beatings to Kanta Kapoor.



Copy of her MLR along with photograph is Annexure P-4 and P-5. On 20.12.2025 private respondent along with police officials came and threatened that their condition will turn even worst. The petitioners are apprehending threat to their life and liberty and finally the present petition has been filed.

3. On advance notice, Mr. Jasjit Singh Rattu, DAG, Punjab appears and accepts notice on behalf of State. It is pointed out that regarding the alleged threat to their life and liberty no representation has been given to the competent authority. This fact is also confirmed by learned counsel representing the petitioners.

4. Considering the aforesaid factual position, it is evident that present petitioners are granted anticipatory bail by this Court and thereafter, it is claimed that they are facing threat at the hands of private respondent No.4. Till date no representation has been given to the official respondents seeking any kind of indulgence. Therefore, present petition is disposed of with the direction to petitioners to file representation to the competent authority seeking redressal of their grievance who are duty bound to take appropriate action as per law.

5. Petition is accordingly disposed of with aforesaid direction.

6. Pending miscellaneous application(s), if any, stand disposed of accordingly as well.

**(AMARJOT BHATTI)
JUDGE**

23.12.2025.

Sunil Devi

Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable:	Yes/No