

2026.PHHC.054725



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

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CRM-M-19074-2026 (O&M)

Date of decision: 09.04.2026

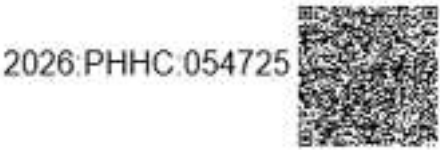
Mandhir Singh Kataria and another**...Petitioners****Versus****State of Punjab and others****...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANISHA BATRA**

Present:- Mr. B. S. Bhalla, Advocate
for the petitioners.

MANISHA BATRA, J. (Oral)

1. The present petition has been filed by the petitioners under Section 528 of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 seeking issuance of directions to respondent No. 2 to ensure a fair and impartial inquiry on the complaint/representation dated 20.03.2026 (Annexure P-2) submitted by them against the private respondents and to take necessary legal action against them in accordance with law.

2. At the very outset, learned counsel for the petitioners has submitted that the petitioners have recently filed aforesaid complaint/representation on 20.03.2026 (Annexure) before respondent No. 2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Faridkot raising their grievances as mentioned in the present petition but the same has not yet been considered and no action has been taken thereon. He further submitted that at this stage, the petitioners would be satisfied if appropriate directions are issued to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Faridkot to decide the aforesaid representation filed by the petitioners and take necessary action thereon.



3. Notice of motion.
4. Ms. Ruchika Sabherwal, Senior DAG, Punjab, has advance notice on behalf of the respondents-State and submits that the needful will be done in due course. Let a complete set of the paper-book be supplied to her during the course of the day.
5. In view of the limited prayer made by the petitioners, without commenting anything on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of at this stage with a direction to respondent No. 2 to decide the aforesaid representation dated 10.03.2026 (Annexure P-2) of the petitioners within a period of one month from today, by passing a speaking order in accordance with law and take necessary action, if so required.

09.04.2026
Waseem Ansari

(MANISHA BATRA)
JUDGE

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	<i>Yes/No</i>