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Shamli Man Alleges Repeated Attacks After Returning to Hinduism

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Saleem at his residence on 29 November/Swati Goel Sharma

CASE SUMMARY

25 November complaint	A Shamli resident told police that neighbours had threatened to kill him and his family over his decision to return to Hinduism.
Alleged first intrusion	His wife said a group entered the family home while he was at the district court submitting an application to change his religion.
2 December complaint	He named the alleged attackers in a second complaint addressed to the Shamli Superintendent of Police.
Police directive	Shamli police said the circle officer had been directed to act and provide protection to the family.
Reported lack of follow-up	The complainant said no one from Shamli police station had approached him after the complaint.

THE TAKEAWAY

Shamli police said they had directed the circle officer to protect the family, but the complainant said officers had yet to contact him.

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