Police assures action after residents meet SHO

Recent spate of crime has left the residents scared

Around 50 residents including members of the Confederation of Residents Welfare Associations (CRWA) from sectors 28, 29 and 30 met SHO Ratandeep Bali of Sector 31 police station to discuss the security issues in these sectors. The number of theft cases in sectors 28, 29 and 30 have increased manifold in the recent past and have caused panic among the residents.

CRWA general secretary AS Gulati said, "The spate of crimes in the last two weeks has left the residents scared. The number of cases of auto lifting and robberies has increased. This upsurge in crime is attributed mainly to lack of police patrolling in the area. Barricades should also be set up at strategic points in the sectors as precautionary measures."

Sector 29 (HUDA) RWA general secretary Subodh Nagpal said, "The crimes have increased in the last few days. As the gates remain open, residents find it diffi-

cult to be alert all the time without police patrolling. Four theft cases were registered in our sector alone but when we complained to the police they cited staff shortage problem."

Sector 30 RWA president IK Banga and former general secretary Ravi Kapoor also visited the police station.

Within two days after the complaint of the residents, SHO along with chowki-in-charge visited Sector 29 and fixed up meeting with the other sectors residents. Sector 29 (HBC) RWA general secretary

Manoj Bajaj said, "Police and the residents have mutually decided six points in the sector where barricades will be put. The police also informed us that out of the 22 police men that they earlier had now only 8 are left and that is the reason why proper patrolling is not being done. They have also decided to park a PCR van in front of the Sector 29 HUDA market. They have also assured us that if we call them they will reach within 10 minutes."