

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

**CRM No. M-13568 of 2015 (O&M)**

**Date of Decision: 29.04.2015.**

*Ashmi Nain*

*... Petitioner*

*Versus*

*State of Haryana and others*

*... Respondents*

**CORAM:- HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.**

Present:- Mr. Gorakh Nath, Advocate for the petitioners.

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**TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA.J.**

The instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. praying for the issuance of directions to the official respondents for providing protection to the petitioner as she apprehends a threat to her life and liberty at the hands of her own parents and close relatives i.e. private respondents No.4 to 9.

Counsel appearing for the petitioner would submit that the petitioner had earlier been married but by virtue of filing a petition under Section 13-B of the Hindu marriage Act, divorce was granted by way of mutual consent and the petitioner was given a sum of Rs.24,50,000/- towards permanent alimony. It is further contended that now the private respondents are forcing the petitioner to marry a person of their choice and as such, are harassing her physically and mentally.

Without even going into the correctness of the averments made in the petition, I deem it appropriate to dispose of the present petition at the initial stage itself with a direction to Superintendent of Police, Karnal,

District Karnal/respondent No.2 to look into the matter in the light of

representation dated 10.04.2015 at Annexure P-2 which is stated to have already been submitted by the petitioner and thereafter to take steps as he may deem fit and as warranted strictly in accordance with law.

Disposed of.

**29.04.2015**

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**(TEJINDER SINGH DHINDSA)  
JUDGE**