

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANAAT
CHANDIGARH**

**CRM No. M-29997 of 2013
Date of decision: 06.02.2015**

Pooja Sharma

.....Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: Hon'ble Mr.Justice Kuldip Singh

Present: None for the petitioner
Mr.Nikhil K. Chopra, DAG Punjab

- 1. Whether Reporters of Local Newspapers may be allowed to see the judgment ?*
- 2. To be referred to the Reporters or not ?*
- 3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?*

Kuldip Singh, J. (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioner has circulated a written request for adjournment. However, learned State counsel on instructions from ASI Karanjit Singh states that the petitioner is not required in any case and that she will not be called to police station in future. It has further been stated that the State shall provide protection to the life and liberty of the petitioner whenever she requests for the same.

In view of the matter, the petition is allowed with a direction to the official respondents that the petitioner will not be called to the police station without complying with the provisions of Criminal Procedure Code and that whenever the petitioner approaches them for protection of life and liberty the same shall be provided to her.

06.02.2015

**(Kuldip Singh)
Judge**