

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

**CRM-M-32406-2016
Date of decision: 22.09.2016**

Sunita Rani

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM:HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE RITU BAHRI

Present: Ms. Dhriti J. Sharma, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

Ritu Bahri, J.

This petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure is for issuance of direction to respondent Nos. 2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner. Further direction is being sought to the official respondents to look into her complaint/statement dated 25.07.2016 (Annexure P-2).

Marriage of the petitioner was solemnized with respondent No.4 when she was 17½ years of age. Thereafter, FIR No.105 dated 05.07.2013, under Sections 363/366 IPC was registered at Police Station, Sadar, Fazilka at the instance of her father. However, on her statement, the said FIR had been quashed by this Court. Now she has come back to her parental house in village Ala Bodla, Tehsil and District Fazilka and made complaint dated 18.07.2016 and statement dated 25.07.2016 (Annexures P-1 and P-2 respectively) against the private respondents to the effect that she was taken away from her house and had been subjected to sexual assault in Uttar Pradesh. She was kept at various places.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that she had

undergone miscarriage during this period.

At this stage, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, this petition is disposed of by giving direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Fazilka-respondent No.2 to look into the complaint dated 18.07.2016 (Annexure P-1) & statement of the petitioner dated 25.07.2016 (Annexure P-2) and thereafter, take appropriate action in accordance with law.

22.09.2016
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(RITU BAHRI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether reportable	Yes/No