

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

Crl. Misc. No. M-40810 of 2017

Date of Decision: 09.8.2018

Preeti Soni @ Sheetal

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE ANITA CHAUDHRY

Present: Mr. S.S.Virk, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Jagmohan Ghumman, DAG, Punjab.

Mr. Sanjeev Bishnoi, Advocate
for respondents No. 2 to 5.

ANITA CHAUDHRY, J

This is a petition seeking transfer of the trial in criminal case No. 10/7.4.2011, B.T. No. 93 dated 14.9.2017 and FIR No. 236 dated 1.9.2015 registered at Police Station City, Sangrur under Sections 498-A, 406, 323 IPC.

Vide order dated 1.11.2017, the petitioner was directed to approach Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur with respect to threat to her life and liberty and the SSP was directed to provide necessary protection to the petitioner to enable her to appear in the trial Court on 13.11.2017 for her cross-examination. Her examination-in-chief had already been recorded.

Counsel for the petitioner submits that the cross-examination could not be completed on the previous dates. Counsel further states that the petitioner is ready to appear on 17.8.2018, the next date and the trial Court may be directed to record her entire statement so that she does not have to

visit Sangrur again and again.

Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur would provide necessary protection to the petitioner when she appears in the Court on 17.8.2018. The petitioner would appear on time. The defence counsel representing the accused would also appear in Court on time so that the cross-examination is completed on the date fixed.

The petition is disposed of.

(ANITA CHAUDHRY)
JUDGE

August 09, 2018

Gurpreet

Whether speaking/reasoned	:	Yes
Whether reportable	:	No