

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

**CRM-M-41995-2018
Date of decision:24.09.2018**

Zubaida

.....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE GURVINDER SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Chanden Deep Singh, Advocate
for the petitioner.

GURVINDER SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

By way of filing this petition, the petitioner seeks directions to
the following effect:-

- i. To protect life and liberty of the petitioner and of other members of her family.
- ii. To conduct proper and fair investigation in FIR No.274 dated 16.07.2017, under Sections 323, 341, 452, 506, 34 of Indian Penal Code, 1860, Police Station Jodhewal.
- iii. To conduct proper and fair investigation in DDR No.49 dated 18.04.2018.
- iv. Restrain respondents No.5, who is Investigating Officer from pressurizing the petitioner and other members of her family.

Having heard learned counsel for the petitioner, I find that this

Court had already issued directions vide order dated 12.05.2017 passed in CRM-M-16895-2017 (Annexure P-1) for protection of life and liberty of the petitioner. Subsequently, vide order dated 17.05.2018 (Annexure P-9) it was clarified that the said direction regarding protection shall continue. Learned counsel for the petitioner has however, submitted that despite the aforesaid directions, the petitioner and other members of her family were again attacked on 12.07.2018 and despite the fact that matter was brought to the notice of police, no action was taken thereupon although she had also submitted representation (Annexure P-13) in that regard.

Without expressing any opinion regarding merits of the case, the petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.3-Commissioner of Police, Ludhiana to look into the matter and to dispose of representation (Annexure P-13) expeditiously and in case, the allegations made therein are found to be well-founded then necessary steps warranted under law be taken thereupon at the earliest.

A copy of this order along with copy of the representation (Annexure P-13) be sent to respondent No.3-Commissioner of Police Ludhiana, so as to enable him to do the needful expeditiously.

(GURVINDER SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

24.09.2018
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Whether reasoned / speaking?	Yes / No
Whether reportable?	Yes / No