

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

CRM-M-6750 of 2019.

Decided on:- February 13, 2019.

Harjit Kaur.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and others

.....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Vivek Salathia, Advocate
for the petitioner.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuance of directions to official respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and her family members at the hands of private respondents No.4 and 5.

Prayer has also been made for issuance of directions to the official respondents to ensure a fair, impartial and independent investigation in FIR No.135 dated 31.10.2018 under Sections 323, 427, 562, 376, 511, 148 and 149 IPC registered at Police Station Gharinda, District Amritsar Rural (Annexure P-1) and to complete the investigation in a time bound manner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that in the aforesaid FIR, private respondent No.5 has approached this Hon'ble Court for grant of anticipatory bail in **CRM-M-54563 of 2018** titled as **Ranjit Singh Versus**

State of Punjab, however, the same was declined vide order dated December 19, 2018 (Annexure P-2).

He further states that at this stage, the petitioner confines her prayer only to the extent of “protection of her life and liberty” for which she shall submit a fresh representation to respondent No.2 Senior Superintendent of Police, Amritsar (Rural).

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only at this stage.

On asking of this Court, Mr. Rana Harjasdeep Singh, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of these respondents.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to supply requisite number of complete copies of the paper book to learned State counsel during course of the day.

Heard.

Lest it may prejudice the interest of the parties including the accused, without making any observation on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction that in case the petitioner makes a representation for her relief of “protection of her life and liberty” to respondent No.2 within a period of 15 days from today, the same shall be looked into by respondent No.2 in accordance with law.

February 13, 2019
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No