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

CRM-M-49129-2019

Date of decision: 19.11.2019.

ANU BALA

... Petitioner

versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ORS

.... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA

Present: Mr. Shashank Shekhar Sharma, Advocate, for
Mr. Amit Jhanji, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. is for issuance of direction to respondents to transfer the investigation in FIR No.77 dated 07.09.2019 registered under Sections 498A, 406, 120B of IPC at Police Station Rangar Nangal, District Batala, to the crime branch or to some independent agency. Prayer has also been made to add other sections i.e. Sections 420, 465, 466, 467, 471 of IPC against the accused persons.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that after registration of the FIR, police is not conducting the investigation. He submits that the petitioner would be satisfied in case respondents are directed to expedite the investigation.

Notice of motion.

At the asking of the Court, Ms. Jasleen Kaur Sidhu, AAG, Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of the respondents.

Let requisite number of copies of paper book be given to learned State counsel during the course of the day.

Since the FIR was registered on 07.09.2019, therefore, it is but presumed that the police must be investigating the matter. However, considering the limited prayer made by the petitioner, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to the respondents to expedite the investigation.

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

19.11.2019
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Whether speaking/reasoned?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No