

**Gurmeet Kaur**

**.....Petitioner**

**Vs.**

**State of Punjab and others**

**.....Respondents**

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AMOL RATTAN SINGH**

Present: Mr. Simrandeep S. Sandhu, Advocate,  
for the petitioner.

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**AMOL RATTAN SINGH, J. (ORAL)**

All cases listed today have been taken up for hearing by way of video conferencing because of the situation existing due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

By this petition, the petitioner seeks issuance of a writ in the nature of '*mandamus*' directing respondents no. 1 to 5 to conduct a fair and proper investigation and to register an FIR under the provisions of Section 376 of the IPC, against respondent no. 6, and to protect her life and liberty at the hands of respondents no. 6 and 7.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that at this stage the petitioner would be satisfied if the representation dated 27.11.2020 (copy Annexure P-1) is looked into in earnest and action taken thereupon by the Senior Superintendent of Police, Mansa, as per law, within a reasonable period.

That being so, without making any comment on the actual merits of the case, one way or the other, this petition is disposed of with a direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Mansa, to go into the grievance of the petitioner and to take action as is warranted as per law, within a period of one month from today.

Naturally, the issue of any genuine threat to the life and liberty of the petitioner would be gone into very seriously by the SSP and an appropriate order passed with regard to any such threat also, within the specified period, with of course the petitioners' life and liberty to be ensured to be protected, even in the interim period.

**December 22, 2020**  
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Whether speaking/reasoned  
Whether Reportable

**(AMOL RATTAN SINGH)**  
**JUDGE**  
Yes  
No.