

111 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH
(through video conferencing)

CRM-M-3514-2021
Decided on : 27.01.2021

Sonia

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Haryana & ors.

..... Respondents

CORAM : HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE MANJARI NEHRU KAUL

Present : Mr. Shyam Manohar, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Manjari Nehru Kaul, J.

Instant petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.PC for issuance of directions to respondents No.1 and 2 to hand over the investigation in FIR No.332 dated 09.09.2020 for the offences under Sections 365 and 34 IPC registered at Police Station Kanina District Mahendergah.

This Court is not inclined to exercise its inherent jurisdiction under Section 482 Cr.PC as a perusal of the contents of the petition do not inspire confidence.

Strangely a prayer has also been made by the counsel for the petitioner to provide him protection as he had drafted the aforesaid FIR and ever since then he had been receiving threats calls from unknown persons that in case he went ahead with the case, he would be eliminated. It is very strange that despite the counsel being allegedly threatened with dire consequences, as stated by him before this Court today as well, he has chosen not to report the alleged threat perception to the police authorities concerned. It does not appeal to reason that a lawyer would not be well adept with the procedure which ought to have been followed subsequent to the receipt of the alleged threats and would have instead chosen to invoke

the inherent jurisdiction of this Court under Section 482 Cr.PC.

Accordingly, the present petition stands dismissed.

(MANJARI NEHRU KAUL)
JUDGE

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Whether speaking/reasoned:	Yes/No
Whether reportable :	Yes/No