

225 IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

CRWP-4025-2021 (O&M)
Date of Decision : 19.01.2021

Sukhwinder Kaur

....Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN

Present : Mr. Kunwar Rajan, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Joginder Pal Ratra, DAG, Punjab.

ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN, J. (Oral)

Prayer in this petition is for issuance of directions to respondent Nos. 1 and 2 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner, her family including her husband namely Sakinder Singh from the hands of respondents No.3 to 6 and decide the representation dated 17.06.2020 in this regard.

Reply, by way of affidavit filed by Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division, Sangrur is filed in Court today. In the affidavit, it is stated that in the representation filed by petitioner Sukhwinder Kaur, it is alleged that FIR No.0127 dated 04.06.2020 under Section 306 IPC, PS-City-1, Sangrur has been registered against the husband of the petitioner and he is being harassed by the police of Police Station, City-1, Sangrur. During inquiry, petitioner Sukhwinder Kaur, her husband Sakinder Singh and others have filed affidavits and their statements were recorded by SHO, Police Station, City-1, Sangrur. During inquiry, it was also found that there was no Sub-Inspector with the name of Sandeep Singh posted in Police Station City-1 Sangrur, who has been arrayed as respondent No.6 in this petition.

The report from SHO, Police Station Amargarh, was also obtained with regard to another FIR No.136 dated 16.06.2020 registered against the husband of the petitioner in Police Station Amargarh. In those proceedings also, the statement of the husband of the petitioner was recorded. As per the report of the SHO, Sakinder Singh stated that he was beaten up in front of Pritam Singh. As per the MLR, the doctor declared the injuries to be received within 24 hours, whereas, as per the allegation, he was given beating on 07.06.2020 by keeping him in illegal custody. As per Surgeon's opinion, the injuries were declared to be simple.

It is further stated that the allegation of the petitioner that her husband was kept in illegal custody from 07.06.2020 to 14.06.2020 and was given beating by the police official, was found to be without any basis as per the call details, CCTV footage, medical record and statement recorded during the inquiry.

In view of detailed affidavit filed by the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub-Division, Sangrur, wherein the detailed inquiry has been conducted, I find no ground to issue any further direction.

Accordingly, the present petition is disposed of.

However, the petitioner is granted liberty to avail her alternative remedies in accordance with law.

19.01.2021

Waseem/Chetan

(ARVIND SINGH SANGWAN)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes/No

Whether reportable : Yes/No