

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

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CRWP-9301 of 2020
Date of Decision : 31.08.2021

Bably

..Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

(Through video conferencing)

CORAM: *HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI*

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Kumar. DAG, Punjab
assisted by ASI, Jasvir Singh.

Harsimran Singh Sethi, J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed seeking protection to the life and liberty of the petitioner which was stated to be under threat at the hands of respondents No.5 to 9.

After the notice of motion was issued, the respondent-State has filed reply, wherein, the following have been stated:-

“That with regard to the subject matter of the present petition, it is respectfully submitted that complaint (Annexure P-2) was received in the office of SSP, District SAS Nagar, which was numbered as nO.7264/S/SSP/SAS Nagar dated 10.11.2020 and marked for enquiry to the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Crime against Women, District, SAS Nagar.

That it is respectfully submitted that

thereafter, the said complaint was marked for enquiry to the Deputy superintendent of Police, Economics Offences Wing and Cyber Crime, District SAS Nagar on 02.02.2021 . The enquiry into the said complaint is underway with the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Economic Offences Wing and Cyber Crime, District SAS Nagar and strenuous efforts are being made to take the same to its logical conclusion, which is likely to take some more time.

That is is respectfully submitted that vide the present petition, the petitioner has prayed for issuance of directions to the respondent NO.1 to 4 for protection of life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of respondent NO.5 to 9. In this regard, it is most humbly submitted that no threat has been assessed to the life and liberty of the petitioner at this stage as the petitioner is residing in Nayagaon, District SAS Nagar whereas the respondent NO.5 to 9 are residing at Jind (Haryana) and Sangrur (Punjab) respectively. It is submitted that in case the petitioner has any threat to her life and liberty, she can approach the police station Nayagaon and appropriate action shall be taken on the complaint of the petitioner, in accordance with law.”

Keeping in view the above, once the police authority has stated the there is no threat to the life and liberty of the petitioner and FIR has already been registered against the accused, no further orders are required to be passed by this Court in the present petition and the same is disposed of as such.

August 31, 2021
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(HARSIMRAN SINGH SETHI)
JUDGE

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