

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

CRWP No. 839 of 2022 (O&M)

DECIDED ON: 31st October, 2022

**Sneha through her next friend Himalaya Gill @ Gau and another
.....PETITIONERS**

VERSUS

The State of Punjab and others

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE AVNEESH JHINGAN.

Present: None.

AVNEESH JHINGAN, J (ORAL)

The lawyers are abstaining from work.

This petition is filed seeking directions to the official respondents to protect the life and liberty of petitioners from private respondents (arrayed in the petition), who are living in live-in-relationship.

SI Ramesh Kumar is present in Court and has filed status report annexing the statement of petitioner No.1-Sneha. As per pleading in the petition, the date of birth of petitioner is 24.5.2004 and she has attained majority at the time when her statement was recorded, wherein she stated that there is no threat perception from her mother.

With the status report, copy of General Diary Details No.017 dated 7.10.2022 is annexed wherein it is stated that the statement under Section 164 Cr.P.C. could not be recorded as the order of this Court had not reached Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Jalandhar and the petitioner No.1-Sneha was handed over to her mother-Anita.

In view of statement made, no further directions are called for.

Disposed of.

Since the main case has been disposed of, the pending application, if any is rendered infructuous.

**(AVNEESH JHINGAN)
JUDGE**

31st October, 2022

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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes
Whether reportable No