

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

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CRWP-1503-2022

Date of Decision : **February 18, 2022**

SUKHAVERSHA

.....Petitioner

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASGURPREET SINGH PURI

Through Video Conferencing

Present : Mr. Ashish Aggarwal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

JASGURPREET SINGH PURI. J. (Oral)

The present petition has been filed under Articles 226/227 of the Constitution of India with a prayer for issuance of an appropriate writ, order or direction especially in the nature of writ of mandamus to respondents No.2 and 3 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner from the hands of private respondents.

The learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the petitioner is an old lady of 71 years and she is living alongwith her husband who is also an old man. There is a dispute between the petitioner, her husband and their son and daughter-in-law who are respondents No.4 and 5 respectively. He submitted that the dispute was pertaining to property and on 5.8.2021 both respondents No.4 and 5 have given beatings to her and thereafter they were disowned by them. He further submitted that the petitioner and her husband being old are at disadvantage position because of their age and they are helpless in such like situation when they were beaten up by their own children. He submitted that representation has been given by the petitioner and her husband vide Annexure P-1 by way of a registered post on 22.12.2021 but no action has been taken in this regard.

Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3 only.

Mr. Rana Harjasdeep Singh, DAG, Punjab accepts notice on behalf of the aforesaid official respondents. He has submitted that he has no objection in case the present petition is disposed of by directing the concerned police official to consider the representation of the petitioner and her husband and to provide protection in accordance with law.

I have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

This Court is satisfied that at this stage, the present petition can be disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, Amritsar to consider the representation Annexure P-1 filed by the petitioner and her husband in view of the submissions made by the learned counsel for the petitioner and the stand taken by the learned State counsel.

In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Commissioner of Police, Amritsar to consider the representation Annexure P-1 filed by the petitioner and her husband and thereafter to proceed further in accordance with law.

Needless to say that in case there is any imminent threat to the petitioner and her husband to their life and liberty then appropriate action be also taken in accordance with law.

Let the needful be done within one week from the date of receipt of copy of this order.

February 18, 2022

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(JASGURPREET SINGH PURI)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned.	:	Yes/No
Whether Reportable.	:	Yes/No