

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

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CRWP-3779-2021(O&M)
Date of decision: 08.04.2022

AMNINDER KAUR

...Petitioner

Versus

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VINOD S. BHARDWAJ

Present : None for the petitioner.

Mr. Karanbir Singh, AAG Punjab.

VINOD S. BHARDWAJ. J. (ORAL)

Instant petition had been filed under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India for issuance of writ in the nature of *mandamus* directing respondent No.1 to 7 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner at the hands of respondent Nos.8 and 9.

Pursuant to the order dated 22.04.2021, status report by way of affidavit of Harinder Singh Mann, PPS, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Sub Division Adampur, District Jalandhar (Rural) on behalf of respondent No.1 and 3 has been filed. The relevant extract thereof is reproduced as under:-

5. That it is pertinent to mention here that during the course of enquiry, it has been found that the petitioner has never been kidnapped or threatened by anyone, rather, the petitioner had herself gone to Rajasthan with her friend Sh Rawal R/o SBS Nagar. After residing some days with her friend her, the petitioner along-with her friend has reached the Police Station City Nawashehar, District SBS Nagar on 20.04.2021. Therefore, the Police of PS City Nawashehar have called the husband and father of the petitioner to the Police Station and the petitioner has been asked about her willingness so as to

accompanying her husband or father. However, the petitioner: has herself consented to accompany her husband i.e. respondent no.9 and since 20.04.2021, the petitioner has been happily living at Village Kangniwal, Police Station Patara, District Jalandhar. It is pertinent to mention here that the enquiry officer has submitted a report dated 30.04.2021 to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Jalandhar (Rural) recommending therein no further action on the matter as the petitioner has herself stated that she has not been threatened by anyone and she has no knowledge about the averments made in the instant petition. Accordingly, the matter has been consigned by the Police with the approval of Senior Superintendent of Police, Jalandhar (Rural).

6. That it is respectfully submitted that in view of the submissions made above, the petitioner do not require any Police protection as the petitioner has herself stated in her statement dated 26.04.2021 (annexure R-1/T) that she has never been threatened by anyone and she has been happily living with her husband i.e. Respondent No.9 at village Kagniwal, Police Station Patara, District Jalandhar.

The statement of the petitioner has also been recorded by the Police.

There is no representation on behalf of the petitioner to controvert or refute the said submission.

In view thereof, no further orders are called for in the instant petition.

Dismissed as not pressed at this stage.

(VINOD S. BHARDWAJ)
JUDGE

April 08, 2022

S.Sharma(syr)

<i>Whether speaking/reasoned</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>
<i>Whether reportable</i>	:	<i>Yes/No</i>