

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

CRM-M-19880-2022

Date of Decision: 10.05.2022

Sukhmander Kaur

... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present: Mr. Deepanshu Mehta, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J.(Oral)

Through this petition, the petitioner seeks issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to decide her representation dated 13.05.2020 (Annexure P-4) in a time bound manner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that respondents No.4 to 8 had given beatings to the petitioner, who is a woman of nearly 76 years of age, and her family members, but no action has been taken by the police. It is further contended that the petitioner moved the representation dated 13.05.2020 (Annexure P-4) for redressal of her grievance, but the same has not yielded any result.

I have heard the learned counsel for the petitioner.

A perusal of the record would show that respondent No.4 got registered FIR No.80 dated 30.11.2019, under Sections 324, 323, 148 and 149 IPC, Police Station Smalsar, District Moga, against the petitioner and her family members. However, the petitioner moved the representation dated 13.05.2020 to the police at a belated stage for taking action against the private respondents with regard to an occurrence that took place way back on 28.11.2019. There is no document to show that the petitioner

had approached the police prior to the moving of the aforesaid representation. She kept mum at least six months in approaching the police. The oral plea of the petitioner that her repeated requests to the police, fell to deaf ears, is not sufficient to cover the aforesaid delay. It appears that in order to pressurize respondent No.4 at whose instance, FIR No.80 dated 30.11.2019 was registered against the petitioner and her family members, the present petition has been filed.

Therefore, finding no merit in the present petition, the same is dismissed with costs of Rs.10,000/- to be deposited by the petitioner with the District Legal Services Authority, Moga.

10.05.2022

parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)

JUDGE

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