

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

CRWP-1131-2023

Date of Decision:17.05.2023

Shalu Johar Sahni

...Petitioner

vs.

State of Haryana and others

...Respondents

Coram : Hon'ble Mr. Justice N.S.Shekhawat

Present : Mr. Sidakmeet Sandhu, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Gaurav Gurcharan Singh Rai, DAG, Haryana.

Mr. Tushar Sharma, Advocate for
Mr. Rajat Misra, Advocate
for respondent No.5.

N.S.Shekhawat J. (Oral)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of directions to respondents No.1 to 4 to protect the life and liberty of the petitioner and her family members, as she apprehends threat at the hands of respondent No.5.

A status report has been filed by way of an affidavit of Deputy Commissioner of Police, Manesar Gurugram. Learned State counsel submits that on 20.04.2023, the petitioner had given in writing to the SHO Police Station Farrukh Nagar, Gurugram, that she would need police protection each time as and when she would visit her farm and the same would be communicated by her through whatsapp messages, as it was not safe for her to visit police station to give her request in writing. Accordingly, she requested to provide police help on 20.04.2023 from 10:30 AM to 06:30 PM and the same

was provided to her by the police accordingly. Learned State counsel further submits that the police protection had been provided on 18.04.2023, 20.04.2023 and 25.04.2023 by the SHO Police Station Farrukhnagar, Gurugram. Even appropriate directions have been issued to SHO concerned to provide police protection to the petitioner in future, as and when she visits her farm situated at Village Khaintawas and prior intimation is received from her. Learned State counsel has further assured the Court that in case any complaint is received from the present petitioner with regard to any incident of breach of peace in the area, appropriate action shall be taken in accordance with law.

In view of the statement made by learned State counsel, this Court does not deem it appropriate to pass further directions and the petition is accordingly disposed off.

17.05.2023
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(N.S.SHEKHAWAT)
JUDGE

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