

In the High Court of Punjab and Haryana at Chandigarh

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2023:PHHC:067175

CRWP- 4511 of 2023

Date of Decision: 10.05.2023

Harjinder Kaur Uppal

---Petitioner

versus

State of Punjab and others

---Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL

Present: Mr. Nitesh Singhi, Advocate
for the petitioner

Mr. Shiva Khurmi, AAG, Punjab

JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (ORAL)

1. The petitioner through the instant petition under Articles 226/227 of Constitution of India is seeking protection of her life and liberty.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner inter alia contends that petitioner has lodged FIR No. 113 dated 18.10.2016 under Sections 498-A and 406 IPC at Police Station Sadar, Shri Muktsar Sahib against her in-laws and they are pressurizing the petitioner to enter into a compromise and withdraw the FIR. There is no male member in the family and she apprehends threat to her life and liberty at the hands of her in-laws.

3. She has filed representations dated 11.10.2022 and 14.11.2022 before the SSP and Deputy Commissioner, Sri Muktsar

Sahib, respectively.

4. Mr. Shiva Khurmi, AAG, Punjab, who on advance notice is present in Court, assures the Court that jurisdictional authorities would look into representation dated 11.10.2022 (Annexure P-2) of the petitioner and do the needful.

5. State is duty bound to protect life and liberty of its citizens. This Court is sanguine of the fact that jurisdictional police authorities would look into representation dated 11.10.2022 of the petitioner and do the needful.

6. Disposed of.

(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)
JUDGE

10.05.2023

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Whether speaking/reasoned : Yes

Whether reportable : Yes/No