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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

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Date of decision: 21.08.2023

Vaishali Goyal

...Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and others

...Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARNARESH SINGH GILL

Present:- Mr. Mandeep Kumar Dhot, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

HARNARESH SINGH GILL, J. (ORAL)

1. The present petition has been filed under Section 482 Cr.P.C. for issuance of directions to respondent No.2 to transfer the inquiry of complaint dated 23.03.2023 (Annexure P-1) from respondents No.3 and 4 to any other competent official.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner contends that marriage of the petitioner was solemnized with one Rahul Goyal, on 16.04.2022; that out of the said wedlock, no child has been born; that husband, father-in-law and mother-in-law of the petitioner started harassing the petitioner for bringing more dowry and that on 02.01.2023, the petitioner was thrown out of the matrimonial home. It is further submitted that complaint dated 23.03.2023 made by the petitioner to respondent No.2-SSP, Sangrur, was marked to respondent No.3 to conduct an enquiry into the matter, but no action has been taken thereupon. It is further submitted that the complaint made by the petitioner be handed over to Women Cell, Sangrur, to conduct

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an enquiry into the matter.

3. Notice of motion to respondents No.1 to 3-State only, at this stage.
4. On the asking of this Court, Mr. C.L.Pawar, Addl. A. G. Punjab, accepts notice on behalf of respondents No.1 to 3.
5. I have heard the learned counsel for the parties.
6. In view of the request made by the learned counsel for the petitioner during the course of hearing, but without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, the present petition is disposed of with a direction to respondent No.2-Senior Superintendent of Police, Sangrur, to hand over the complaint dated 23.03.2023 (Annexure P-1), moved by the petitioner, to Women Cell, Sangrur, for conducting an enquiry into the matter, in accordance with law.

21.08.2023
parveen kumar

(HARNARESH SINGH GILL)
JUDGE

Whether reasoned/speaking?	Yes/No
Whether reportable?	Yes/No