

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

CRWP-11253-2023

Date of Decision: 21.11.2023

SURESHA RANI @ ASHMEET KAUR AND OTHERS

.....PETITIONERS

Vs.

STATE OF PUNJAB AND OTHERS

.....RESPONDENTS

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present: Ms. Amandeep Kaur, Advocate,
for the petitioner.

HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN J. (ORAL)

[1] The present Criminal Writ Petition has been filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a writ in the nature of '*Mandamus*' directing the Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib and the Station House Officer, Police Station Sri Muktsar Sahib (respondents No. 2 and 3, respectively) to protect the life and liberty of the petitioners from the hands of private respondents No. 4.

[2] Counsel for the petitioner confines her prayer only for issuance of a direction to decide the representation dated 14.10.2023 (Annexure P-4) by the Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib (respondent No. 2) since the petitioners are apprehending threat as they have got registered an FIR No. 105, dated 31.03.2023 against the private respondent No. 4 Kanwarpal Singh Brar, who is presently an employee of the police.

[3] Notice of motion.

[4] Having received advance copy of the petition, Mr. Sarabjit Singh Cheema, D.A.G., Punjab, appears and accepts notice on behalf of the official respondents No. 1 to 3. Keeping in view the innocuous prayer made, this Court is of the opinion that there is no need to seek written response from the respondents.

[5] In view of the above, the present petition is disposed of with the direction to the Senior Superintendent of Police, Sri Muktsar Sahib (respondent No. 2) to consider and decide the representation dated 14.10.2023 (Annexure P-4) within a period of one month from the date of the receipt of the certified copy of this order.

[6] Pending miscellaneous application (s), if any, shall also stand disposed of.

November 21, 2023
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(HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN)
JUDGE

Whether Speaking	Yes
Whether reportable	No